WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m., Thursday:
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, continued fine and warm.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Capitol—Bread.
Dominion—The Female.
Pantages—A Lady of Quality.
Columbia—In the Shadows of Whitechapel.
Playhouse—Sure Fire Flint.

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C.N.R. Proposals for P.G.E. Are Before Government

DR. E. W. BOAK TO-DAY COMMITTED FOR TRIAL BEFORE HIGHER COURT

Defence Urges Car of Local Surgeon Not at Scene of Accident Until Saanich Fatality Over; Crown Claims Boak Car Flung Bodies of Men Thirty Feet After Impact.

At the close of eight hours of testimony in which close on twenty witnesses were called, Dr. Eric Wesley Boak was committed by Magistrate Jay in Saanich police court this morning for trial by higher court. The committal for trial came after three hours of additional testimony this morning, in which the defence brought forward the evidence of the occupants of the car, excepting that of the accused who spoke voluntarily at the inquest earlier in the week.

PLEA FOR DEFENCE

In addressing the court, H. A. Maclean, K.C., counsel for the accused, urged that the Boak car could not have been responsible for the killing of the late David Ballantyne and Alexander McLachlan on the Saanich Road, as it did not arrive at the scene until after the tragedy; or, alternatively, that if death were due to the Boak car, the accused could not be tried for manslaughter as no negligence on his part had been shown to warrant a committal.

Counsel for the defence rehearsed the time factor in the case, urging that it had been shown positively that the two men met death at 9.20 p.m., instantaneously. It was around 9 p.m., when the Duck and Boak cars left Brentwood, and it would be absurd to say that they could have arrived at the scene of the fatality in twenty minutes, stated Mr. Maclean. If the cars arrived that at any time after 9.20 p.m. the killing could not be laid to the door of the occupants of the two cars named.

The defence had shown, continued counsel, that the cars in fact did not arrive at the scene of the accident until 10 o'clock that evening.

DR. DUCK TESTIFIES

Dr. Charles W. Duck gave the time of arrival on the road, after the party picked themselves up from the crash, at 10.05 p.m. He was supported by the independent timing of Mr. Higgs, a medical student in one of the cars. There was a conflict of evidence as to time continued Mr. Maclean but the Crown's case was built on computed time, from inference, and not to be weighed in the same scales as that of the men who took the time at the scene a few minutes after the crash.

The Jenner car party, continued counsel, arrived near the scene of the accident at 10.40 p.m. and saw no signs of the occupants of either

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NO MORE HARVESTERS' TRAINS

Montreal, Aug. 27.—The Canadian Pacific Railway will run no more harvesters' trains to the prairies this year, it was stated at headquarters here to-day.

SASKATCHEWAN DEATH

Cupar, Sask., Aug. 27.—Dr. Henry N. Rutledge, well-known physician and farmer, died here yesterday after a short illness.

NEW EPIDEMIC IN JAPAN IS STUDIED

Disease Resembles Spinal Meningitis; 900 Deaths in Few Weeks

Leading Physicians Are Endeavoring to Find Cure For Illness

Tokio, Aug. 27.—Several of the most eminent physicians of Tokio have left hurriedly for the western provinces, where a new epidemic resembling spinal meningitis is reported to be raging, nearly 900 deaths having occurred in recent weeks.

The local physicians call it "narcoiptic meningitis." The victims undergo the usual symptoms of spinal meningitis and then fall into a comatose state, remaining so until death.

The mortality is at the rate of sixty-five per cent.

FAIR CHARGE REDUCED

London, Aug. 27.—In order that the total attendance during the remaining period shall reach 1,000,000 persons weekly, the Wembley Exhibition authorities have decided to reduce the admission fee to a shilling, beginning September 1.

ATTEMPT TO SWIM ENGLISH CHANNEL ENDED IN FAILURE

Dover, Eng., Aug. 27. — Frank Perks of Birmingham, who left here at 12.30 p.m., yesterday in an attempt to swim the English Channel, abandoned his effort when four miles from Calais owing to the extreme coldness of the water.

BANK FIGURES SHOW GROWTH OF BUSINESS

Debits to Individual Accounts in Victoria Greatly Increased in July

Improvement in General Througout Canada About Fourteen Per Cent

In July the bank debits to individual accounts in Victoria increased by about fifty-three per cent. over the June figure, being $29,500,000 as compared with $18,300,000.

Ottawa, Aug. 27 (Canadian Press)—Bank debits to individual accounts in the clearing house centres of Canada during July as reported to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics showed an increase of nearly thirteen per cent. over the previous month. Judging by the experience of the last ten years, the transactions in July are on the average about one per cent. less than in June, and if this handicap is allowed for the adjusted debits for July are found to represent an increase of nearly fourteen per cent.

The debits in July were $2,323,000,000, as against $2,057,000,000 in June, an increase of $266,000,000.

During the same period the clearings increased from $1,260,000,000 to $1,461,000,000, which after allowing for the slightly adverse seasonal tendency constitutes an advance of nearly seventeen per cent.

PRAIRIE BUSINESS

Although all the industrial areas enjoyed substantial gains, the increase in the debits of the prairie provinces was most marked. The chief source of the increase may be traced to the activity in the grain trade of Winnipeg, in which city the debits were $454,000,000 as against $342,000,000 in June. When allowance is made for seasonal variation, the advance is found to have been nearly forty-six per cent.

CITIES' FIGURES

Increases were also recorded by six of the smaller centres, the debits of Edmonton increasing nearly thirty-one per cent.; Moose Jaw nineteen per cent.; Saskatoon eleven per cent., and Regina ten per cent. Declines were shown by Calgary, Lethbridge and Medicine Hat, and by the branches of the Weyburn Security Bank. The net result for the prairie provinces was an increase from $464,000,000 to $583,000,000, or nearly twenty-five per cent.

VICTORIA'S GAIN

The debits of Victoria increased about fifty-three per cent., the advance being from $18,300,000 to $29,500,000.

The July returns from Vancouver and New Westminster were also favorable, the increase for British Columbia being $18,000,000, or nearly fourteen per cent.

QUEEN BEES NOT MENTIONED NOW IN SOVIET LAND

Leipsic, Germany, Aug. 27.—The Soviet authorities have prohibited the importation into Russia of books about ants and bees in which "queens are mentioned," says the German Buch Handler-Horsenblatt, a weekly devoted to the book trade. The Bolsheviki are said to object to the description of colonies of ants and bees as helpless when lacking the ruling power of their queens.

U.S. WORLD AIRMEN DELAYED BY STORM

Fliers Will Not Leave Greenland For Labrador Before Friday

Lieut. Locatelli Tells Story of Italian Aviators' Drift at Sea

On Board U.S. Cruiser Richmond, by Wireless to the Associated Press, Aug. 27—The United States round-the-world fliers have postponed their departure scheduled for to-morrow morning from Ivigtut, Greenland, for Indian Harbor, Labrador, because of adverse weather reports.

Lieut. Lowell H. Smith, Lieut. Erik H. Nelson and their mechanicians, Lieut. John Harding and Lieut. Leslie P. Arnold, will not start from Ivigtut until Friday at the earliest.

LOCATELLI'S STORY

Aboard U.S.S. Richmond, Aug. 26, Delayed. (By Associated Press)—Lieut. Locatelli, Italian airman, who was rescued with three companions by the Richmond late Sunday night after tossing about for more than eighty hours in treir disabled seaplane on the rough North Altantic waters, to-day described his perilous experience since hopping off with the American army fliers last Thursday from Reykjavik, Iceland.

With his relief pilot, Lieutenant Jullio Crossio and Engineers Giovanni Barccini and Bruno Farsyneili, Lieut. Locatelli to-day appeared little the forse for his nerve-wracking adventure. Except for hands blistered by castor oil and seawater, the rescued aviators were not injured.

While expressing gratitude to the Americans for saving their lives, the Italians said they believed their aeroplane could have been flown again had it not been necessary to destroy the craft.

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Trade of Canada With Germany in Year $23,982,000

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Canada imported goods from Germany to the value of $6,041,000 during the year ended July 31, nearly double the amount of the year before. Canadian exports to Germany during the year were $17,941,000, an increase of $7,000,000 over the year previous.

French Parliament Adjourned To-day

Paris, Aug. 27.—The French Chamber of Deputies and Senate adjourned to-day.

FIFTY-TWO BUSHELS OF WHEAT TO ACRE REAPED IN ONTARIO

Belleville, Ont., Aug. 27.—Sheriff J. A. Clarke of this township threshed 416 bushels of wheat off eight acres on his farm in Hungerford Township, an even fifty-two bushels to the acre and a record for the district.

MINERS ON STRIKE

Johannesburg, Aug. 27. — The underground men at the Golden Huis Mine have gone on strike in order to secure better contract prices.

ROOF GARDEN IN HALIFAX CARRIED AWAY BY WIND

Halifax, Aug. 27 — Considerable damage was caused last night when this city was caught in the grip of a fifty-mile gale. The roof garden of the Queen's Hotel was carried away by the wind, bowling over several chimneys and inflicting minor damage to adjoining buildings.

St. John, N.B., Aug. 27—The worst downpour of rain for two years struck this city early yesterday and continued almost without a break until midnight. Very little damage was reported within the city.

TWENTY-FOUR PASSENGERS HURT WHILE LINER LABORED IN GREAT ATLANTIC GALE

New York, Aug. 27.—Twenty-four passengers on the White Star liner Arabic, from Hamburg to New York, were injured yesterday when the steamship was struck by a hurricane about twenty-five miles east of Nantucket.

The Arabic's first cabin section was flooded by tremendous seas kicked up by the 100-mile wind. She made quarantine here about 3 p.m., after the White Star Line had made arrangements to meet the injured with ambulances at the ship's North River pier.

Most of the lifeboats on the liner's starboard side were missing. Doors and windows of the first cabin section were smashed.

The ship's officers reported that the hurricane came up suddenly, and that immediately every precaution was taken for the safety of the liner and her passengers.

Most of those injured were women. Ship's officers said that despite efforts to calm the passengers there was considerable confusion, and many of the injured were hurt in their attempts to escape the force of the great seas that tossed the vessel. They stated, however, there was no general panic.

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E. J. CHAMBERLAIN DIED IN CALIFORNIA

President of Grand Trunk Railway System For Five Years

Was One of Most Competent Railroad Men in Canada

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Edson Joseph Chamberlain, aged seventy-three, for years recognized as one of the most competent and successful railroad men in Canada and one of the foremost operating experts on the continent, died this morning at Pasadena, California, according to word received here.

Mr. Chamberlain was probably best known to Canadians as general manager of the old Canada Atlantic Railway, which he held from 1886 until the road was sold to the Grand Trunk Railway Company in 1905.

In 1909 Mr. Chamberlain accepted the post of vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. Several years later he was elevated to the presidency of the Grand Trunk System, which post he capably filled for five years. He then retired from active participation in railway work.

Interment will be made at St. Albans, Vermont.

CRUSHED TO DEATH

Bellingham, Wash., Aug. 27.—Gradually drawn into a big steel hoisting drum after his hand had been caught under the cable, Paul Becker, thirty-seven, a native of Germany, was crushed to death at Bellingham Coal Mines.

Regina Accountant Is Sent to Prison

Regina, Aug. 27.—Andrew Anderson, accountant of the McCallum Hill Company, was to-day sentenced to three years in the penitentiary on each of twenty-one charges of theft involving $9,000, the sentences to run concurrently. He pleaded guilty.

GERMANS TO SIGN LONDON AGREEMENT

Government Will Accept Plan Regardless of Action of Reichstag

If Assembly Rejects it Dissolution Will Follow; Fight in Reichstag

Berlin, Aug. 27.—The German Government will sign the London reparations agreement whether or not the Reichstag approves of it, it was officially anounced to-day. If the Reichstag rejects the pact on the Dawes plan elaborated at the International Conference in London, the legislative body will be dissolved, according to the announcement.

FIGHT IN REICHSTAG

London, Aug. 27.—A sitting of the German Reichstag was suspended temporarily to-day when during debate on acceptance of the London agreement on the Dawes plan the Communists caused an uproar by demanding that their expelled and imprisoned members should be allowed to vote to-morrow, according to a news agency dispatch from Berlin.

There was a free-for-all fight between the Communists and the Democrats. A Communist struck a Democratic member in the face, and this led to a general melee and great uproar. The President, after vainly trying to restore order, finally suspended the session for a short time and left the House.

BILL ADVANCED

London, Aug. 27.—The Reichstag, by a vote of 247 to 173, this afternoon passed to second reading the Dawes industrial obligation bill, according to a news agency dispatch.

The banking bill, embodied in the Dawes plan, was also passed to second reading by a vote of 249 to 171, the dispatch stated.

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FRANCE RATIFIES LAUSANNE PACT SIGNED IN 1923

Paris, Aug. 27.—The French Senate to-day ratified the Treaty of Lausanne with only twenty negative votes after a debate of two hours. The Chamber had voted ratification on Monday and thus the Senate's action to-day gives official adherence to the treaty, which was signed July 24, 1923, re-establishing peace in the Near East.

France is the fourth power to ratify the treaty, which became effective August 6 on its third ratification, that of Great Britain, Italy and Japan previously had voted adherence.

W. H. D. LADNER OF VERNON WAS KILLED

Lost Life When Automobile Overturned on Highway Near That Town

Was Expected to be Conservative Candidate in Yale Riding

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—W. H. D. Ladner, well-known lawyer of Vernon, B.C., a second cousin of Leon J. Ladner, M.P. for South Vancouver, and regarded as likely to be the Conservative candidate in the Federal by-election in Yale, was killed at 8.30 p.m. yesterday when the car in which he was driving overturned about a mile from Vernon on the Armstrong road.

James Hopkins of Armstrong, who was with him, was seriously injured.

Mr. Ladner, who is survived by a widow and several children in Vernon, was the son of the Rev. Charles Ladner, of Kamloops, B.C.

POPULAR COUPLE WED IN CALGARY

Calgary, Aug. 27.—A wedding of interest to a wide number of people was consummated to-day when Eleanor Carson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hossack Woods, became the bride of Lieut.-Colonel Donald John MacDonald, D.S.O., M.C., son of the late D. R. MacDonald and Mrs. MacDonald of Alexandria, Ont.

It was military in character, the groom having been the commanding officer for the last five years or one of Canada's most famous regiments, the Lord Strathcona Horse, Royal Canadians, with which unit he served in France.

BALANCE OF TRADE WITH U.S. IS NOW GROWING MORE FAVORABLE TO DOMINION

Ottawa, Aug. 27—Canada's so-called balance of trade with the United States is becoming more favorable to the Dominion. In the twelve months ended July 31 imports from the United States exceeded Canadian exports to the United States by $143,089,000. In the previous twelve months the excess of imports over exports was $193,265,000.

Canadian exports to the United States in the twelve months ended July 31 were $422,810,000, an increase of approximately $20,000,000 over the previous year. Imports from the United States were $565,899,000, a decrease of $30,000,000 from the year before.

LOUIS MALVY IS EXPECTED TO BE AGENT OF FRANCE

It is reported the Herriot Government will appoint M. Malvy Ambassador to Spain.

CITY TO WELCOME HOSPITALS BODY HERE TO-MORROW

Important Session to Thrash Out Institutional Problems

Every Phase of Hospital Practice to be Discussed

Delegates from all over British Columbia will assemble here to-morrow for the annual conference of the B.C. Hospitals Association. This organization has made much progress since it was last in session here, and now has the ear of the provincial executive in a way corresponding to the Municipal Union and the School Trustees' Association. While the managing boards of the hospitals are not directly responsible to the electors like the other bodies, they are composed of representatives of the Government, the municipalities and the subscribers in the way that the sense of responsibility is quite definitely experienced.

A great change has come over the hospital movement in this Province since the last convention in Victoria, because a number of the B.C. hospitals now enjoy the recognition of the standardization committee of the American College of Surgeons. That secures efficiency, and sets a high standard to be sustained in the future, because such gradings are subject to revision periodically.

TO SEE NEW HOSPITAL

One of the reasons why the convention was particularly desired in this city in 1924 was the opportunity to show the new east wing of the Jubilee Hospital, shortly to be opened, embodying all the latest information on hospital construction. Another was that it was desirable the association should go on record at the seat of Government with regard to hospital matters prior to the annual gathering of the mu-

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MARS OBSERVERS HAVE NEW MYSTERY

Photographic Film Shows Radio Signals in Odd Arrangement

C. Francis Jenkins of Washington Used His "Radiophoto" Machine

Washington, Aug. 27—Development of a photographic film of radio signals received during a period of about twenty-nine hours while Mars was closest to the earth has deepened the mystery of the dots and dashes reported heard at the same time by widely separated operators at powerful stations.

C. Francis Jenkins of Washington, inventor of the device, which he calls the "Radiophoto Message Continuous Transmission Machine," was induced by Dr. David Todd, professor emeritus of Astronomy at Amherst College and organizer of the international "listening-in" for signals from Mars, to take the record. The film, thirty feet long and six inches wide, discloses in black and white a fairly regular arrangement of dots and dashes along one side, but on the other side, at almost evenly-spaced intervals, are curiously jumbled groups, each taking the form of a crudely drawn face.

ENGINEERS OF C.N.R. TOUR P.G.E. TERRITORY LEARNING DEVELOPMENT POSSIBILITIES

M. H. McLeod's Proposal is to Add Link Between Clinton and Ashcroft and Join North and South System to Canadian National Main Line; Suggestions Laid Before Premier Oliver.

M. H. McLeod, consulting engineer of the Canadian National Railways, returned to the mainland last night after having made Premier Oliver a proposal for the Pacific Great Eastern Railway yesterday.

Mr. McLeod was assisted in his negotiations with the Government by D. A. Campbell, construction superintendent for the Canadian National, who also came back after the conference with the Premier.

Together these two leading officials of the C.N.R. will spend the next few days motoring over the P.G.E. territory. This morning they left Ashcroft and will spend a week traveling through the towns of the Cariboo and sizing up the possibilities of the P.G.E. territory from colonization standpoint. They will go as far as Prince George.

Canadian National engineering parties are now in the field looking over the whole P.G.E. scheme.

Mr. McLeod is willing to take over the P.G.E. as it stands from Clinton to Quesnel and on to Prince George, but would join up with the C.N.R. at Ashcroft by abandoning the P.G.E. for those sections east and west of Lillooet. These rails he would lay between Ashcroft and Clinton and make a through connected line of the project:

PEACE RIVER DISTRICT

Quite the biggest feature of Mr. McLeod's proposal on behalf of the C.N.R. aside from the lure it holds to lighten the burden of taxation which P.G.E. losses now charge up to the Provincial Government is the fact that he is considering the P.G.E. situation in its relation to the development of the Peace River country. He will be ready shortly with a recommendation of what is in his opinion the best way to carry out the wheat of the Peace River country, so it can be brought to Vancouver over the C.N.R. and P.G.E. lines.

Members of the Government here to-day refused to say anything about the Canadian National's negotiations regarding the P.G.E., but they indicated they were not displeased.

TO SPEAK ON EARLY HISTORY

A cordial invitation is extended by the officers of the Pacific Northwest Library Association to the public of Victoria to attend the address by Judge Howay, president of the B.C. Historical Association and western representative of the Historic Monuments and Sites Board of Canada, to be given this evening at the Empress Hotel. His subject will be early B.C. history.

An hour's programme of motion pictures of the Province will follow.

LIBRARIANS TO AID SURVEY

Retiring President of American Library Association Makes Appeal

Considerable Business is Transacted by Delegates To-day

Election of Officers

The Pacific Northwest Library Association this morning elected the following officers who will be installed at the session this evening:

President—M. H. Douglas of the University of Oregon Library, Eugene.

Vice-president—Ellen Garfield Smith, Public Librarian of Walla Walla, Washington.

Second vice-president — Edgar S. Robinson, Librarian of Vancouver (B.C.) Public Library.

Secretary—Constance Ewing of the Library Association, Portland, Ore.

Treasurer—Effie L. Chapman of Seattle.

The Pacific Northwest Library Association was asked at its session this morning by Judson T. Jennings, the retiring president of the American Library Association, to co-operate in assisting the voluminous survey of library work in America to be conducted by that national body, of which the Association is an affiliated chapter.

This survey will be conducted through a questionnaire which has been in preparation for two years, and which will be issued to libraries throughout the country in October.

The report will contain when published all data about library practice in America, and will seek to be the guide of all persons in the profession.

NORTHWEST BIBLIOGRAPHY

Those interested in Pacific Northwest bibliography will be interested to learn from the report of C. W. Smith of the University of Washington Library from the committee on this subject, that a check-list will shortly be published on the state documents of Oregon. Consideration had been given to the preparation of co-operative lists of maps and newspapers dealing with the territory, he reported, but no action had yet been taken thereon.

SUBSCRIPTION BOOK FRAUDS

The attempts made by the Subscription Book Publishers of the United States to suppress through the Federal Trade Commissioner crooked acts of subscription book agents was explained by the committee through Miss Ruth Rockwood of the Library Association of Portland. The creation of fake associations with names similar to those of well known bon-fide bodies,

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TUG-OF-WAR TEAM INCLUDES PRINCE

Royal British Traveler to Share in Sports on Ss. Berengaria

On Board Ss. Berengaria, Aug. 27—The Prince of Wales appears to be thoroughly enjoying his voyage to New York and is winning the golden opinions of the other passengers by the spirit with which he enters into the games and other amusements. For his part he is delighted over the attitude of his fellow travelers, who are giving him unwonted freedom from special attention. He practiced twice yesterday with his tug-of-war team, which is to compete with a team composed of Americans in the sports day programme. The latter outweighed the Prince's team, but have offered to adjust weights so as to equalize things.

RISES EARLY

The Prince rises at 7.30 a.m., boxes, exercises and promenades the deck vigorously. He has a cheery greeting for the newspapermen who seek him out and altogether appears happy and carefree.

Occasionally he has a private card party in his own suite, but he is generally out revelling in the fresh air and sunshine.

WON BOOBY PRIZE

Last night he was awarded the "booby prize" for his costume at a fancy dress dance held in the ballroom. It had been stated he would not appear in costume, but at a late hour he entered made up as an Apache. There was repeated cheering when he and a lady dressed as a boy received the booby prize dolls.

The Prince wore a cap and a sweater turned inside out, in simulation of one of the denizens of Limehouse, London's Chinatown.

The masque was a brilliant affair, the beautiful jewels and costumes worn by many of the women lending magnificence to the scene.

POSTAL OFFICIAL ARRESTED AFTER AIDING IN SEARCH

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Charged with being the master mind in the $2,000,000 mail robbery at Rondout, Illinois, on June 12, which he took a leading part in investigating, William F. Fahy, post office inspector, was held in jail at Geneva to-day. He was arrested in the Federal building yesterday after warrants had been issued on complaint of Eastern inspectors.

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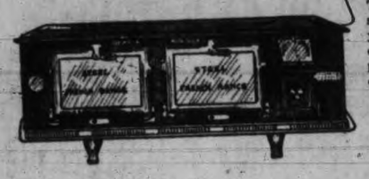

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Nelson's First Congratulates Nelson's Latest

Premier Oliver, as Nelson's latest representative in the Legislature, to-day received congratulations from Nelson's first member in the person of J .M. Kellie, who represented that city in 1894 and is now living in Saanich.

In a telegram to the Premier, Mr. Kellie said:

"Hearty congratulations from Nelson's first member to Nelson's new representative."

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NOTHING NASTY MR. POOLEY ASSERTS

R. H. Pooley, new Conservative leader, back from Nelson, to-day published a statement denying that he had been guilty of breaches of good taste and breeding in personal references to the Premier during the Nelson campaign.

Premier Oliver to-day said that he had not heard anything while he was in Nelson about the alleged utterances of the new Conservative leader and had never suggested that there had been anything of such a nature uttered by him.

"I don't know anything about it and am absolutely clear of any connection with anything of that kind and I don't know how it originated," the Premier said.

He thought it was only fair to Mr. Pooley to make it clear that he had instigated no allegation.

A Vancouver newspaper last week severely scored Mr. Pooley for his alleged break.

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TO DRAFT BY-LAW ON TOWN PLANNING

Chamber of Commerce Committees Show Keen Interest in Civic Affairs

A start on drafting the town planning and zoning by-law for submission to the main committee will be made by a sub-committee appointed for this purpose as the outcome of discussions by the Chamber of Commerce and the Real Estate Board. Oak Bay and Saanich are both represented with city aldermen on the main committee. The sub-committee, which will meet Friday, consists of Alderman Ker, Councillor Graham of Saanich, Councillor Streatfield of Oak Bay, and Alfred Carmichael, of the real estate board. Three members of the city council, three from the real estate board, three from the Chamber of Commerce and one from the adjoining municipalities are represented on the main committee.

Several meetings have been held, and a proposal from the sub-committee will soon be ready for the consideration of the main committee.

FINANCES

The Chamber of Commerce committee investigating civic finances met yesterday under the chairmanship of Major Cuthbert Holmes, with City Comptroller Macdonald in attendance. The comptroller gave the committee a lot of information to help them in their searching investigation of the city's financial condition.

MARS "MESSAGES" ARE EXPLAINED

Government Superintendent Attributes Them to Local Power Line Discharge

Another excellent story has been spoiled. Near-scientists whose interest has been whetted by the story of mysterious message received at the Point Grey wireless station and apparently emanating from Mars will be disillusioned, for according to experts the message are nothing more nor less than the discharge from the insulators of a local power house.

E. J. Haughton, divisional superintendent of wireless, has sent the following explanation of the cryptic messages to The Times:

"In connection with the reports which originated in Vancouver concerning strange radio signals received at Point Grey station by the operators on duty there. As this story has been broadcast all over the continet it might be as well to set the minds of the people at rest about these signals originating from Mars.

"Inspector Howard of the Radiotelegraph branch reports that he listened in on the morning of Moqday, August 25, and heard the same signals as reported by the operators. The signals came in at 06.24 K and Mr. Howard states as follows

"'I found them to be the same as signals which have been received by our coast stations for the past ten years. Their time of reception varies but they come in a series of dashes, and are very broad. I first heard them when in charge of Cape Lazo Station, and attributed them to a radio frequency discharged of some local power line. On my transfer from Cape Lazo to Point Grey I noticed them at the latter station too, but to try to locate the signals in a city like Vancouver seemed very like searching for a needle in a hay stack. This is the first time that any of our operators have blamed Mars for the origin. The place where we all hope to avoid is the place where most of our staff say the signals come from.'

"I might say that signals of a similar nature are heard at Gonzales Hill somewhere about noon. We know that these dashes are a discharge from the insulators of a local power house.

"It was first thought that the signals emanated from radio beacons installed at Columbia River and Swiftssure, but it has been unofficially stated that these beacons have not been in operation for the past ten days, and that they emit three dashes instead of four as heard.

"The above statement from Inspector Howard should be taken as a reliable solution of the signals. Mr. Howard has had a long experience, and if the operators had referred the matter to him no doubt they would have been put right."

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Notice to Housewives—Buy Freestone Preserving Peaches now. Later arrivals will likely be higher in price. •••

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The ache that comes from a hearty laugh is not dangerous, so do not fear attending the Country Fair at St. Columba Church, Oak Bay, Friday evening, August 29. •••

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Notice to Housewives—Buy preserving freestone Italian prunes now; later deliveries will be higher in price. •••

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Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., Garden Party at Miss Agnew's, "Shuhumm," Rockland Avenue, Wednesday, September 3, 3 to 6, in aid of Hospital Furnishing Fund—aprons, fancy needlework, home cooking, candy afternoon tea, clock golf, bridge. For reservations phone 308 or 4732L. •••

McNIVEN TO RESIST DUMPING OF IDLE HERE FROM PRAIRIES

Deputy Minister Goes to Ottawa; Meet Called to Ward Off Unemployment

Any move which would tend to relieve unemployment on the prairies by unloading the idle on to British Columbia will be fought by this Province at the unemployment conference at Ottawa on September 3, J. D. McNiven, Deputy Minister of Labor, made clear to-day as he completed arrangement to represent B.C. at this gathering. He will leave Victoria to-night.

B. C. will join the other Provinces in fighting any proposal for a dole system during the coming Winter, it was also announced by Mr. McNiven.

The conference has been called by the Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor, and the Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, to devise systematic co-operation between the various parts of Canada and regularization of industrial employment, particularly with regard to building and out-of-door work, during the coming Winter when unemployment is expected to be serious. The object of the Governments is to act early in an effort to ward off as much distress as possible.

"It is accepted as a principle that the giving of direct relief rather than work to unemployed persons is not only economically wasteful, but tends to affect detrimentally the character of the recipient," Mr. McNiven said.

Representatives of municipalities, the transcontinental railways, building employers, manufacturers and trades unions will attend along with Government officials.

CITY TO WELCOME HOSPITALS BODY HERE TO-MORROW

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nicipal bodies at Penticton next week, when the old issue of state control of the hospitals is to be raised.

The Jubilee Hospital is now in that happy position when it has the lowest average stay for patients of any of the larger hospitals in the Province. The delegates are to be shown the whole equipment, pathological, radiological and nursing service, and for the smaller hospitals this demonstration of Friday afternoon will be one of the chief features of the gathering.

Several of the executive officers have already arrived, and a preliminary meeting will be held this evening, previous to the public sessions.

BUSINESS TO-MORROW

Following addresses of welcome to-morrow morning by Hon. Dr. MacLean and Mayor Hayward, the conference will begin business by receiving the address of President Charles Graham of Cumberland.

A number of reports will occupy attention until the luncheon, which will be held jointly with the Rotary Club.

Among the papers at the afternoon session will be one by R. L. Reid, K.C., the well-known Vancouver lawyer, on "Legal Liability of Hospitals in B.C."

OUTLINE OF FRIDAY

A full programmee has been set for Friday morning, several doctors undertaking to deal with subjects of special knowledge, and the luncheon will follow at the Jubilee Hospital, the afternoon session being given over to nursing features.

On Friday evening the customary public meeting will be held, and on Saturday there will be a business meeting in the morning, followed by luncheon at St. Joseph's Hospital, with an inspection of that institution.

OFFICERS

The officers of the organization, in addition to the president, are: First vice-president, George Haddon of Vancouver, who will be one of the delegates from the General Hospital Board of that city; second vice-president, E. S. Withers, general manager of the Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster; Miss E. Johns, R.N., is secretary, and Mrs. M. E. oJhnson, superintendent of Bute St. Hospital, Vancouver, is the treasurer.

There will be large medical delegation from Vancouvef, headed by Dr. F. C. Bell, general superintendent of the Vancouver General Hospital. The nursing profession will be largely represented.

REPARATIONS DISCUSSIONS IN EUROPE

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FRENCH APPROVAL

Paris, Aug. 27.—By virtue of the Senate's approval last night, Premier Herriot now is fully empowered to sign the London agreement and do everything necessary to put the Dawes reparations plan into effect, as the Chamber previously had sanctioned that course.

Little doubt is felt here about the German acceptance and the final signing of the agreement on Sunday in London.

The Belgian Cabinet has already given its ratification without bringing the matter before Parliament, as there is no controversy in that country over the acceptance of the agreement.

ADDED PRESTIGE

M. Herriot's big vote of more than three to two in the Chamber and his even larger majority in the Senate, where he expected and met with bitter opposition from Poincare, have strengthened his hand and given him added prestige to deal with the many other problems yet to be overcome.

These include the Franco-German commercial treaty, to be drafted in Paris in October, and financial matters such as the distribution of the reparations money and merchandise among the Allies, and even Interallied debts, all of which are expected to be discussed at later conferences.

KILLED BY BEES

St. Hyacinthe, Que., Aug. 27,—Three horses were killed yesterday on the road between St. Damase and Rougemont, near here, when thousands of bees settled on the animals and literally stung them to death.

GOOD ROADS CONVENTION TO BE BIG AFFAIR

Many Important Projects Will Come Before Delegates at Penticton

Vancouver Island Will Have Full Representation

The Good Roads League of B.C. will hold their eighth annual convention at Penticton on September 2. This promises to be the largest ever held by good roads enthusiasts in British Columbia. Every municipality, city, Boards of Trade, Chambers of Commerce, automobile clubs will have their delegates to thrash out British Columbia's much needed road problems. Strong resolutions will be drafted dealing with the Interprovincial Highway.

The long-felt want for a road connecting Fort George and Hazelton will be mooted by the northern part of B.C. Vancouver Island delegates will strive to impress upon the GGovernment the importance of constructing a road between Jordan River and Port Renfrew, also the continued paving of the Chilliwack-Rosedale Road will be recommended by the Fraser Valley delegates. The Lillooet-Tofino highway, a much-heeded road by residents of the West Coast, will again come under discussion, besides numerous other requests and demands will be made upon the Public Works Department.

R. H. Gale, who has been the league's president for the past eight years, will not preside at this convention, owing to his being in London on important matters. J. J. Johnson, first vice-president from New Westminster, will take over the reins of office and strike an objective for the league's future activities.

H. Frank Bird, the league's energetic secretary, has arranged for some eloquent speakers on road matters, among those being Samuel Hill, pioneer road builder; Frank Terrace, who is associated with Mr. Hill, Seattle, Wash.; S. L. Squire, Deputy Minister of the Ontario Department of Public Highways; Dr. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works; P. Phillip, Public Works Engineer; Herbert Cuthbert, manager of the Portland Chamber of Commerce; R. Davidson, Vancouver Publicity Commissioner; George I. Warren, Publicity Commissioner of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, and others.

U.S. WORLD AIRMEN DELAYED BY STORM

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NEEDED SPEED

"I was sorry to outdistance the American planes when we hopped off at Reyjavik," said Lieut. Locatelli, "but I was compelled to do so because I was unable to maintain the proper height for such a heavy seaplane, fully loaded with fuel, at less speed than 150 kilometres. We had planned on the next hop to give the Americans an hour's lead.

"After a flight of seven and a quarter hours from Reykjavik, we developed engine trouble due to water in the motors. I believe we could have made Frederiksdal, but the fog was so thick we decided to alight, make repairs and wait for the weather to clear. "We came down about twenty-five miles east of Cape Farewell on an unexpectedly rough sea. The descent loosened two of our engine supports and the turbulent water prevented us from taking off again after repairs had been made. We decided to wait until Friday, but the next day and Saturday, Engineers Barccini and Farsynelli were too seasick to take an interest in anything. Lieut. Crossio and I were unable to handle the plane alone.

DRIFTED 100 MILES

"Friday we drifted far south of Cape Farewell and Saturday and Sunday we drifted 100 miles east. We did not see any ships. The fog lifted Friday, allowing a view of the coast, but it was too far for us to consider taxiing with only 600 litres of gasoline remaining. I kept a careful watch of our position and always knew exactly where we were. On Sunday the two engineers recovered somewhat and we made an effort to take off, but the rear engine was cranky because of splashing water.

"We kept the plane in the wind, using the ailerons and maintaining watches day and night. A small lamp was kept burning above the engine during the darkness. We even sent a message in a bottle, giving our position, the direction of the wind and the drift.

HAD PREMONITION

"The last night I had a premonition. I was on watch and I fired for the first time, personally, a rocket. Soon after one of the engineers shouted, 'I see a light.'

"At first I paid no attention because on the first night the same man had called me, believing the planet Venus was a vessel's light. But soon signals from the Richmond were plainly seen and then the vessels searchlight caught us. We were all delighted and thankful, although there was no immediate danger of death, with a six-day supply of food and water on hand."

TWENTY-FOUR PASSENGERS ON LINER HURT

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The Arabic which had landed some of her passengers at Halifax, was steaming east of the Nantucket Lightship Tuesday noon when the barometer dropped suddenly. A terrific wind came almost without warning and soon the great ship was being bombarded by seas such as few of her officers had seen before. The great plateglass windows in the forward dining-room were splintered, and as successive waves broke against the ship the first cabin ocmpanion ways were flooded. The liner was in the grip of the gale, until 7 o'clock in the evening, when she began her dash for quarantine, first sending a radio message to the line headquarters here for ambulances to meet her at the pier this afternoon.

DR. E. W. BOAK TO-DAY COMMITTED FOR TRIAL BEFORE HIGHER COURT

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car concerned. Whatever had been the means of the death of the two men it was not the car driven by Dr. Boak, said counsel. Further was it reasonable to suppose that the two bodies could have been knocked a distance of forty-eight feet from the swerve in the Boak car tracks to where they were found in the ditch, asked Mr. Maclean of the court. It was to be observed that a crowd had collected, and a number of cars visited the scene, occupants moving and removing the articles found about the ditch, but no evidence at all to indicate that the bodies had themselves been moved. There was no blood on the Boak car when examined by police that night, continued Mr. Maclean, who concluded by stating that riding at twenty-five to thirty miles an hour, car occupants in either vehicle would have noticed the concussion if the cars had struck either or both of the two men.

On the second ground, that of the absence of negligence, continued Mr. Maclean, his client had been shown to be driving on his correct side to pass another car in the lead, at a legal rate of speed, and with careful attention to the front. There was an entire absence of negligence such as would be necessary to warrant a trial on the manslaughter charge. If the Boak car had struck the men who, to presume for the moment suddenly emerged from the ditch, it would be most unfortunate and sad, but no possible blame could attach to Dr. Boak under all the circumstances. The injuries to the bodies were from a blow in the front and not from behind, he concluded, asking a dismissal of the charge.

FOR PROSECUTION

For the Municipality of Saanich E. L. Tait made one of the shortest summings-up on record. He would not quibble as to time. The evidence shown was based on material objects, which could not lie. The men had been proceeding down the road when struck from behind by a two-ton missile with terrific force. The bodies had been flung thirty odd feet, and the handle of a door imbedded in the skull of one of the men. Dr. Boak should stand trial, he would submit.

Magistrate Jay, explaining that he was not vested with the trial of the facts of the case, stated a prima facie case had been made out to his mind, and he would commit the accused for trial by a higher court. There was conflict as to the evidence and this should be decided by a jury.

EVIDENCE FOR DEFENCE

The main evidence for the defence this morning was given by Dr. Charles W. Duck, driver of the lead car on the night in question. With two medical students he left Brentwood at 9 p.m. or a little later, said witness. Dr. Boak's car passed that of witness at the Prairie Hotel and had been repassed by witness near Royal Oak. There had been no racing, nor was there any intention in his mind to race. He had forgotten Boak's car entirely when he saw it suddenly at his side and the crash followed as already detailed. Five minutes or so later he looked at his watch, a $150 timepiece that kept time to an accuracy of one minute difference in the week, which showed 10.05 p.m. When the service car drove up the bodies were found, and were then cold. Witness gave his speed at the time of the accident at twenty-five miles an hour. Dr. Boak was traveling a little faster, and was passing when the crash came. There was no actual collision between the cars, but the swerve put witness's car off the road and up the bank.

Messrs. William Turpel, Arthur Lewis and Aubrey Jones, medical students, passengers in the two cars, repeated testimony given already at the inquest. They said they left Brentwood approximately at 9 p.m., and that no racing had taken place. George Hearn, a member of the Jenner car party, gave evidence as to seeing nothing at the scene at 9.40 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The close of the case for the prosecution and the first portion of evidence offered by the defence featured the afternoon session yesterday. Mrs. Mary Service, and Miss Anabelle Service, wife and daughter of George L. Service, who gave evidence previously, took the stand to corroborate Mr. Service as to the call by Dr. Boak at the former's home.

Claude Ross McLachlan, a son of the late Alexander D. McLachlan, told of his actions after the affair. At 11.30 p.m. he heard of the death of his father and hurried to the scene. At 2 o'clock in the morning he surveyed the two cars and looked over things generally. On Saturday he returned with three men and looked further around the scene of the accident.

SON SEARCHES SITE

On the second occasion he picked up a pocket knife and what was described as the second piece of a door-handle found at the scene. The two articles lay fourteen inches apart, and buried in grass, at a distance of 21-22 feet south of the first car marks on the road. Witness spent three hours searching, he said, but found nothing else. The glasses worn by his father were his real quest, he said, but these he did not find. James H. Craig told of accompanying the former witness on the Saturday visit.

Events following the accident, and its investigation by the Saanich police were told by Sergeant Alan Rankin, Chief Brogan, and Constable Brown. Sergeant Rankin told the court that in conversation with Dr. Boak on the scene the latter had mentioned that he had observed a "shadow" in the ditch and swerved his car to the right. Dr. Boak told him, continued witness, that the time of the accident to his car was about 10 p.m.; and that he had later discovered the bodies, which he found to be cold.

Witness searched the scene at daylight and found pieces of cloth, hats and a piece of handle, the latter bearing trace of blood and human brains and lying in the ditch near a pool of blood. Witness caused the doors on the left side of Dr. Boak's car to be removed. In cross examination Sergeant Rankin stated that he found no blood traces on the Boak car.

John Dempster, motor mechanic, told of the damage to the Boak car, which he described as confined to the rear fender, two doors, and one headlight. From Chief Brogan the court learned a watch in the pocket of one of the men stopped at 9.20. The prosecution rested its case at this point.

DEFENCE OPENS CASE

For the defence Mr. Maclean urged that the prosecution had been unfair in failing to call the witnesses heard at the inquest. These had been, for the main part, men in either of the two cars, retorted Mr. Tait, who said he would not call evidence for the defence, but Mr. Maclean could produce these witnesses if he wished.

Magistrate Jay remarked that he could not force the production of any witness by the prosecution but, subject to what the defence had to say, he thought a prima facie case had been made out. The defence proceeded to call witnesses.

John Jenner, a bank clerk from the Bank of Montreal, told of taking a party by automobile to Sidney and return on the night in question. At fifty-six paces north of Ellis Road his car stalled on the way back, and the party made the time to be 9.40 p. m. at that juncture. His party saw nothing unusual on the road or at the scene of the accident. Witness was sure of the time for he checked his watch with two companions and all were alike, besides which he checked his watch daily with a jeweler's chronometer.

On cross-examination by Mr. Tait witness was told that Sergeant Rankin, searching the scene of the accident, had passed it without discerning the place. Witness remarked that personally he was very observant, and had seen nothing.

A SPEEDING CAR

Miss Jenner, a sister of the former witness, corroborated his story. She described the place where their car stalled as fifty-six paces north of Ellis Road and the time as 9.40 p.m. She saw two cars going south, one at a "terrible rate of speed." Beulah Thompson, another member of the Jenner car party, gave like evidence. Her watch too read 9.40 p.m. when their car stalled.

William B. Higgs, a medical student of Toronto University now in his fourth year, told the court he was a passenger in the Duck car, which, he said, left Brentwood at 9 p.m. or shortly afterwards. The Boak car, at the accident site, cut in front of the Duck car and then disappeared off the roadway.

Later witness looked at his watch, which read 10.05 p.m. He took the time not longer than ten minutes after the crash. Witness said he accompanied Dr. Boak to telephone. He heard Dr. Boak say he saw a shadow, but there had been no mention of "pedestrians." Twenty minutes later the repair car came. At 5.15 p.m. the court rose to continue to-day.

Drawing Takes Place

The drawing took place this afternoon for the Navy League model cottage on exhibition at the forestry display at the recent Provincial Exhibition. The winner was W. C. Coatham, Box 176, New Westminster. A committee composed of H. Morris, Major Langley, Robert Dunn of The Colonist, and B. C. Nicholas of The Times surpervised the drawing.

The winning number was 1290.

DUKE AND HIS WIFE ENGAGE IN DISPUTE

Westminster Would Bar Duchess From London House; Court Action

London, Aug. 27.—The domestic affairs of the Duke and Duchess of Westminster were aired in court yesterday when the Duchess, who sailed for the United States on the liner Majestic this morning, brought action for an injunction to restrain the Duke or his Servants or agents from ejecting her from her home, Bourbon House in Berkeley Square, which is just a few blocks away from Grosvenor House, the Duke's London home.

The Duke's attorneys ask adjournment for a fortnight, declaring the affidavits filed last night contained highly controversial matters which would have to be answered.

NO FOOD FOR MAID

Counsel for the Duchess asserted that although she was in occupation of her Berkeley Square house, her husband maintained she was not entitled to go there. The Duke's servants had told the Duchess' maid that if the Duchess went to Bourbon House she would be turned into the street.

The attorney declared the Duchess had spared herself such an indignity by not going to the house, but that her maid had been deprived of her food by the other servants of Bourbon House, who are on the Duke's payroll.

The court ruled that during consideration of the case the maid must be allowed to remain at Bourbon House in custody of the Duchess' belongings.

COMPULSORY WHEAT POOL IS PLANNED

Government of State of Victoria, Australia, Announces Its Decision

Melbourne, Aug. 27 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's).—Announcement of the Government of Victoria's proposal to form a compulsory wheat pool was made by Premier G. M. Prendergast at the opening of the Victoria Legislative Assembly yesterday.

The Premier also announced the Government proposed to establish an agricultural bank.

Other statements of the new Premier were that the Government proposes to appoint a royal commission to inquire into the Melbourne police strike of last Autumn, and also a commission to look into the question of the settlement of soldiers in the state.

The Victoria Government, the Premier also announced, had agreed to allow the Australian Federal Government to raise all the loans required by the state.

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BY-ELECTION IN RIMOUSKI, QUE., NEXT TUESDAY

Campaign Leading up to That Federal Contest is Very Lively One

Rimouski, Que., Aug. 27—With polling day fast approaching, the campaign in connection with the Federal by-election for this constituency is waxing more and more spirited and controversial meetings, at which the two candidates and speakers of both camps clash, are the order of the day.

Groups of political luminaries are gathered round both men and large audiences attend practically all meetings to hear attack and counter-attack on both sides.

MINISTERS TO SPEAK

It is expected Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, and Hon. H. S. Beland, Minister of Health and Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment, will come to speak on behalf of Maj.-General Sir Eugene Fiset, the Liberal candidate. It is stated also that Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, leader of the Conservative Opposition, will come here at the end of the week to aid Elzear Sasseville, the Conservative candidate.

LARGE VOTE EXPECTED

The contest is one of the most keenly contested that has been waged for some considerable time and great speculation is entertained as to the outcome on next Tuesday when the voters go to the polls.

There are 12,000 eligible voters and out of this number it is expected seventy-five per cent. will register their votes.

NEW B.C. HIGHWAY TO GIVE IDLE JOBS

Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, on his return to Victoria to-day took up with other members of the Cabinet the construction of the Transprovincial Highway through Cranbrook and Fernie. The work is expected to cost about $1,250,000. Tenders will not be called for a few weeks yet, Dr. Sutherland said.

It is understood that the Government will make use of this construction work to assist in relieving unemployment, which, it is feared, may be serious in certain parts of the Province this Winter.

NEW DISARMAMENT INVITATION TO U.S.

Geneva, Aug. 27.—The League of Nations has extended an invitation to the United States Government to send an official representative to participate in the deliberations of the disarmament commission which will be appointed by the League Assembly. This initiative, which is unique is the outgrowth of the American participation in the League's preliminary study to elaboaate a convention for international control of the traffic in arms.

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Prince of Wales' Plans Unknown

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Although there is a possibility the Prince of Wales may visit one or more Canadian cities during his trip through Canada, official information in regard to the matter is lacking. It is not unlikely the Prince will be in Ottawa and Montreal, but whether he will stop in these two cities for any time is not yet known. It was stated officially here to-day there was no definite information on the matter.

CONSTANTLY IMPROVED BUT NO YEARLY MODELS

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FOUNDATIONS OF ANCIENT CHURCH ARE DISCOVERED

Yaldvatch, Asia Minor, Aug. 26. The foundations of a great Christian church more than 200 feet long of a very early date and which may represent the successor of the church founded here by St. Paul have been unearthed by the University of Michigan expedition headed by Professor Francis W. Kelsey, it is announced here.

NEW BEER RULES NOW IN MANITOBA

No Beer Allowed to be Sold Except in Glass Bottles

Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—Drastic regulations governing the sale of beer in the province were recommended to the Government by the Manitoba Liquor Commission and the Cabinet yesterday passed an Order-in-Council bringing the new recommendations into immediate effect.

In future no beer can be sold except in glass bottles, the sale of draft beer being entirely cut out. Each permit holder is limited to the purchase of not more than twenty-four quart or forty-eight pint bottles of beer per week, or, in the alternative, he will be permitted to purchase seventy-two quarts or 120 pints of beer per month. The sale of beer in kegs, barrels or anything else but glass is absolutely prohibited.

MONTHLY REPORTS

A further regulation provides that the brewers shall at the end of each month deliver to the Liquor Commission a statement showing the numbers of permits, names of purchasers, description and quantities of goods sold, together with the dates of sale and delivery and residences of the purchasers where beer is delivered.

Regulation two, which forbids the sale of draft beer, probably will be questioned, as some doubt has been expressed as to whether the Government has power to make such a regulation. The regulation, however, will be enforced and prosecutions will follow any infringement of the new rules.

Two New Records Made by Seaplanes

Sesto Calende, Italy, Aug. 27.—Signor Bacola, piloting a "Savoia 96" seaplane, yesterday established a world altitude record with 250 kilograms of cargo. He attained a height of 5,500 metres.

Commandant Marquis Centurione, piloting a "Savoia 16" seaplane, also established a world's record with 500 kilograms of cargo, reaching 4,550 metres.

NINE WARSHIPS ARE GREETED BY QUEBEC PEOPLE

Quebec, Aug. 27.—Within the next few days Quebec will be the gathering point for the largest number of warships ever seen in local waters. Six vessels are on their way to this port, four British and two French. They are the sloop Wistaria, of the British North Atlantic Squadron; the cruiser Capetown, flagship of the squadron, and the cruisers Calcutta and the Curlew, and the French vessels Regulus and Ville d'Ys. The British battlecruisers Hood and Repulse and the Australian light cruiser Adelaide are already here.

LUDWIG MARX TO STEER ZEPPELIN ON ATLANTIC FLIGHT

Friedrichshafen, Germany, Aug. 27—Luck has been with every Zeppelin airship when Ludwig Marx, star helmsman, now celebrating his twenty-fifth anniversary of employment with the Zeppelin firm, was at the wheel. Marx is to accompany the ZR-31, built here for the United States navy, on her flight to America.

Marx was first hired by Count Zeppelin in 1599 as pilot of the count's motorboat and has acted as helmsman on the maiden trips of all the dirigibles built by the company.

Stagnation To-day In the Big Cattle Market in Chicago

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Stagnation in the cattle market of the Livestock Exchange resulted yesterday from the withdrawal of Wilson & Company from buying. Other large packers then refrained from buying, but the demoralization, it was said by all parties, would be only temporary and the expectation was expressed that Wilson and Company would soon be back in the market.

OF INTEREST TO AUTO TOURISTS

In arranging your Summer trip, you will be pleased to learn that effective July 3, there will be two sailings of the Motor Princess between Bellingham and Sidney, leaving Sidney for Bellingham at 10.45 a.m. and 6.10 p.m., from Bellingham to Sidney at 7 a.m. and 2.30 p.m., daily, including Sunday.

If you have not made the circuit, which you can do by also including the trip between Vancouver and Nanaimo, with sailings from Vancouver at 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. (for all-sized cars), 10 a.m. and 5.30 p.m. (for smaller cars), daily except Sunday; Sundays at 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. (for all-sized cars). From Nanaimo to Vancouver at 7 a.m. daily except Sunday and Monday (for small cars), 2.15 p.m. daily except Sunday (for small cars), 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. (for all-sized cars) daily, including Sunday.

'WHEAT MAP' SHOWS MUCH IMPROVEMENT

Prairies May Produce 300,000,000 Bushels, Says Bank Inspector After Tour

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Recent predictions that the wheat crop of the prairies will reach the 300,000,000-million bushel mark are likely to be realized, according to J. A. C. Kemp, chief inspector of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, who is in Vancouver from the head office in Toronto on his annual trip of inspection across Canada. He is accompanied by C. W. Rowley, Western superintendent, whose office is in Winnipeg.

Weather conditions in the past three weeks have been favorable to a larger yield of wheat than had formerly been estimated, Mr. Kemp stated. The two big railways and many other authorities had set the probable wheat yield at 275,000,000 bushels some three weeks or more ago, but late rains where they would do the most good and hot weather which is rapidly ripening large areas that were so backward that it was feared they would never reach maturity have altered the wheat "map" for the better.

THORNTON'S OPINION

Montreal, Aug. 27.—The prairie wheat crop will run at least 300,000,000 bushels this year, Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, stated here last night on his return to the city, after a five-week inspection tour that carried him to the British Columbia coast.

"Things are not nearly so bad as they have been represented to the people earlier in the season," said Sir Henry.

MACLAREN PARTY CROSSING CANADA

British Aviators Left City of Vancouver by Train Last Night

Return to Old Country After Effort to Fly Around World

Vancouver, Aug. 27. — Major A. Stuart MacLaren, commander of the British expedition which attempted unsuccessfully to encircle the world by aeroplane, left last evening on the Canadian National Railway for Eastern Canada en route to England. Flying Officer Plenderleith and Sergeant Andrews, his two companions, accompanied him.

Major MacLaren addressed a luncheon given here in honor of the British fliers, recounting some of the incidents of their flight and giving a technical description of the plane which was wrecked.

MET MAJOR MARTIN

Major Frederick L. Martin, former commander of the United States world flight, had motored from Bellingham, Washington.

"I was sorry to hear about you crashing," declared Squadron Leader MacLaren as he stretched out his hand in greeting to Major Martin.

"The same to you," laughed Major Martin, grasping the outstretched hand.

NO SET SPEECHES FOR CONVENTION

National Association of Retail Clothiers to Meet in Chicago

Chicago, Aug. 26.—An almost speechless convention has been planned for the eleventh annual gathering of the National Association of Retail Clothiers and Furnishers, which is to meet in Grand Central Palace, New York, the week of September 8, according to announcements at association headquarters here. There will be no set speeches except at the opening, when Mayor Hylan will give an address of welcome, but there will be a clothing exposition, directors say, that will speak more loudly than words.

Every dealer, however, will be given opportunity to express his own or ask the views of other members on problems of the business. In this way it is hoped to give the members greater value than formal addresses would afford.

STORE MANAGEMENT

The programme provides for discussion of store management and the "Dress Well and Succeed" campaign which has been in progress. Beside this the entire time of the convention will be given over to the discussion of whatever matters the retailers desire.

Over 300 manufacturers from all parts of the United States will participate in the Exposition, which will occupy two floors of the palace. There will be no set style show, but the exposition will show style tendencies of all types of material, including knit goods demonstrated by living models.

ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN

The "Dress Well and Succeed" campaign will be stressed. Already over 2,500 retail clothing merchants throughout the country are using the slogan, and a co-operative advertising plan has been developed. Wherever the campaign is started, it will include five to seven full pages of newspaper space, illustrating merchandising ideas. In addition there will be forty-eight quarter-pages, built on "Dress Well and Succeed," each bearing some specific point to show the influence clothing has on business and social success.

President Roswell S. George, Watertown, N.Y., has been active in the preliminary work of the convention.

Manila, Aug. 27.—James E. Egan, of Omaha, Neb., a chief petty officer, was killed by an engine-room backfire explosion aboard the submarine S-2, lying at the Cavite navy yard. Seaman Moroski was slightly injured by the blast. The submarine was undamaged. A naval board of investigation has been named to conduct an inquiry.

PULP MILL AND BIG PILES OF WOOD DESTROYED BY FIRE

Isle Verte, Que., Aug. 27.—After burning four days, the fire which destroyed the Brown Corporation's pulp mill and several pyramids of pulpwood, with an estimated loss of $250,000, was reported under control to-day.

GO BY DAYLIGHT SCHEDULE THROUGH ROCKY MOUNTAINS

Stop-overs Planned on Canadian Pacific Through B.C. And Alberta

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—Following two crowded days in Vancouver and Victoria during which time they visited practically every point of scientific and educational interest in and around these two cities, studying the flora and fauna of the Pacific coast and recording observations relating to the various branches of science which they represent, nearly 400 members of the British Association for the advancement of science left Vancouver early this morning in two Canadian Pacific special trains.

Their return trip across the Dominion will be marked by various stopovers at places of interest where further opportunity will be given this body of brilliant men and women to gather scientific information about Canada.

At Ashcroft, in the heart of British Columbia dry belt, the members of the party will make a brief stopover to study the vegetation of that district.

An overnight stop will be made at Glacier and the party will spend twelve hours at Lake Louise. Banff will be reached on Friday morning, the two specials remaining there until noon of that day before proceeding to Calgary, where they are due to arrive at 3 p.m.

Canadian Pacific officials accompanying the scientists include W. B. Howard, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Montreal, who had charge of the Prince of Wales' train both in 1919, when His Royal Highness made his official visit to the Dominion, and last year when the heir to the throne traveled West to his Albertan ranch. N. R. Desbrisay, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Winnipeg, is traveling with the second special, and the publicity department of the railway is represented by F. E. Trautman, Press Representative Western Lines, and Chief Buffalo Child Long Lance.

The open top observation cars with which both these special trains are equipped, will be of inestimable value to the scientists during the three-day daylight schedule which has been arranged for them through the Canadian Rockies.

ROAD WORK PLANS WILL BE ADVANCED

Vancouver Island Interested in Good Roads League Meeting at Penticton

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Several recommendations for road work will be made to the Public Works Department when the delegates to the eighth annual convention of the Good Roads League of British Columbia meet at Penticton next Tuesday.

H. Frank Bird, secretary of the organization, states the attendance at the conference is expected to be about 350, and that every municipality, city, board of trade and auto club will have a representative there.

Resolutions are to be drafted dealing with the question of the Transprovincial Highway. Other projects to be dealt with are roads between Jordan River and Port Renfrew, and Ucluelet and Tofino, on Vancouver Island. Delegates from the north are expected to urge the construction of a road between Fort George and Hazelton. Continued paving of the Chilliwack-Rosedale road is expected to be a matter brought up by the Fraser Valley delegates.

INDIAN CEREMONY AT NEAH BAY, WASH.

Flag Presented by R. Wanamaker Many Years Ago Was Raised

Neah Bay, Wash., Aug. 27.—Gaily bedecked and gaudily painted, to the measured beat of tom-toms, 1,000 Indians of Washington and British Columbia tribes participated in their fantastic sacred tribal dances here yesterday in commemoration of a visit many years ago by Rodman Wanamaker of Philadelphia, Pa., who presented the Makah Indians with an American flag.

The feature of the ceremony was the raising of Mr. Wanamaker's flag. Another event on the Makah day programme was a barbecue.

Vice-Admiral Field Is Visiting Montreal

Toronto, Aug. 27—Vice-Admiral Sir Frederick L. Field, accompanied by his staff, left Toronto last night for Montreal.

The vice-admiral and his staff left Toronto last night for Montreal.

The vice-admiral and his staff journeyed to Hamilton by automobile yesterday and were accorded an enthusiastic welcome, being met at the boundary of that city by city officials. He was later accorded a civil welcome at the Hamilton City Hall.

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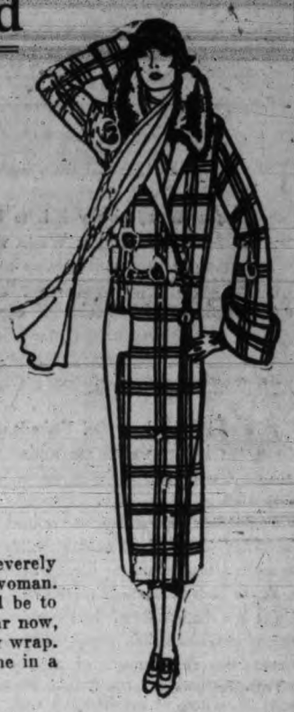

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FRENCH DESERTERS RETURN TO HOMES

Amnesty Bill Passed by Chamber and Men Quickly Move

Paris, Aug. 27—The amnesty bill just passed by the Chamber of Deputies is expected in some quarters to result in a general resurrection of French soldiers who had passed into history as "killed on the field of battle."

Already, though the Senate has still to pass on the measure, deserters are crossing the frontiers and breathing the air of France for the first time in six years or more. One of them, a soldier named Robin, given up for dead after the Battle of the Chemin des Dames in April, 1917, startled his brother, who keeps a wine shop in Paris, by suddenly appearing before him the other day.

"You don't know me," remarked the deserter, who had grown a beard during his exile.

"No, I don't know you," was the reply.

"I am your brother," replied the deserter.

"My brother was killed at the Chemin des Dames," was the rejoinder.

"No," insisted the deserter, "there were not so many butchered as was supposed. A lot of them deserted to the enemy and I was among them. Now that the Chamber has passed the amnesty law I have come back and I need money to start me off."

LOST HIS LIFE

The brother agreed to give him funds on condition that he nev show his face in the neighborhoou again.

The deserter walked off with the money to celebrate his return at a public ball in the Boulevard do Grenelle. There he picked a quarrel and within half an hour was carried out with a fatal stab in the abdomen.

Another deserter who was also among the "missing" of the Chemin des Dames battle turned up at his father's farm in the Morbihan department. A neighbor who happened to be present remarked that he was not yet safe, as the Senate had not yet adopted the amnesty law. The deserter, angered by this interference, cried "You'd be capable of denouncing me," drew a knife and plunged it into the neighbor's breast. This deserter is now again a fugitive from justice.

More than 1,200 French deserters living in Geneva, where they formed a "Friendly Association of Deserters," are preparing to come back in a body. Other Swiss towns shelter as many if not more and there are supposed to be a great many still in Germany.

TORONTO WOMAN KILLED BY HUSBAND, WHO ENDED HIS LIFE

Toronto, Aug. 27.—Mrs. O. Kulik, who was attacked by her husband with a razor in their home here on the night of August 18, died of her injuries in a hospital last night. Kulik committed suicide at the time by cutting his throat. The police state the man committed the act in a fit of jealousy.

Kid McCoy Visits Aged Mother, Who Is Critically Ill

Los Angeles, Aug. 27.—Kid McCoy, former pugilist, indicted for the murder of Mrs. Theresa Mors here August 12, paced his county jail cell in temporary oblivion yesterday while Los Angeles trudged past the barred door to cast its vote in the state primary elections.

His next court appearance, when he will be asked to plead to one charge of murder, three of assault with intent to commit murder and four of robbery, will be Thursday.

At that time the prosecution and defence attorneys will argue out the prosecution's motion to add to the list of witnesses on the grand jury indictment the name of Mrs. Jennie Thomas, McCoy's sister.

The ex-fighter's aged mother, said by her physicians to be near death's door with a heart affection, was reported improving to-day. McCoy, under guard, visited her bedside last night.

GEORGE SNOW CASE WAS ADJOURNED

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—The case of George Herbert Snow, charged in his capacity as manager of the Mutual (Vancouver) Limited, fruit brokers, with conspiring to defraud members of the Victoria Hothouse Association and with the theft of $1,800 from members of that association during the Mutual's operations last May, was set over when called before Magistrate Shaw yesterday. It will be called again on September 2 and is likely to go over by agreement to September 8.

UNEMPLOYMENT SHOWING INCREASE

London, Aug. 27 (Canadian Press cable)—Unemployment in Great Britain has been slowly growing worse in the last six weeks, and last week the number of persons out of work had increased by 30,000 over the number the week before. The total number of unemployed at present is estimated at 1,123,000.

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THE THROUGH ROAD

IN view of the fact that the greater part of three years will be required to complete the transprovincial highway it is to be hoped that the Minister of Public Works will be in a position to call for tenders at an early date. Commencement of the work during the coming Fall months would provide a considerable amount of employment and prevent much of the distress with which many of those who depend upon seasonal occupation are compelled to put up during the Winter.

None better than Dr. Sutherland appreciates the importance of the project and the value the completed highway will be to British Columbia in many ways. Present conditions are unprofitably anomalous and compel the ever-increasing army of automobile holiday-makers to make a detour into the United States if they desire to keep to the road all the way from the Coast into the interior of the Province. This is an indirect loss to the provincial treasury and hinders the development of numerous small townships which are situated in the most picturesque sections of the mountain area. It also imposes upon the tourist compliance with the usual customs regulations and tends to divert him to points on the other side of the border in order to escape anything in the nature of restriction while touring for pure enjoyment. The loss to the Interior is obvious. By the same token, the absence of a through road prevents many of those who are now using the Banff-Windermere highway from continuing their way across the Province to this Coast and Vancouver Island.

With the transprovincial road in operation, however, it is easy to understand that a substantial impetus to motor travel in and about British Columbia would be created at once. It would also bring the all-Canadian highway from Coast to Coast within measurable distance of realization and make possible the early development of many parts of the Province which are marking time and merely awaiting the coming of more adequate transportation facilities. Many beauty spots would be opened up to the tourist and Vancouver Island would be included in the itineraries of many from the eastern sections of the continent who at present turn south halfway across the Province and continue in that direction.

This important question no doubt will be dealt with at the annual Good Roads Convention which opens at Penticton on Tuesday. Victoria's delegates to the gathering will naturally contribute to the discussion and emphasize this Island's interest in the project, for a transprovincial highway will not produce maximum benefits unless the undertaking comprehends the needs of this part of the Province.

HOPE FOR THE P.G.E.?

OF particular interest to the people of British Columbia at the present time is the feasibility of the Canadian National Railways taking over some part of the Pacific Great Eastern system. Sir Henry Thornton has discussed the subject and is already seized with the possibilities of business for the national road by the development of certain sections of the provincial line as feeders. Chief Engineer McLeod has conducted an exhaustive investigation and his expert opinion has been embodied in a report which is now in the hands of the British Columbia Government.

The synopsis of this document, which has been made public, indicates that the Canadian National would be favorably inclined to negotiate for a certain interest in the P.G.E. if the Province would build a stretch of line to connect the steel at Clinton with the C.N. transcontinental at Ashcroft. It is also understood that a suggestion has been made to the Government involving an arrangement to divide the line between Squamish and Clinton.

It has long been argued that much business is being denied the P.G.E. by reason of the gap between Clinton and the two transcontinental systems at Ashcroft. The construction of the link in question, of course, would obviously entail a large outlay; but if that expenditure would furnish a promising basis of negotiation for the system's absorption by the C.N.R. it would appear to be good business to consider it. In any event it follows that, sooner or later, whether the Province retains the line or whether it passes into other hands, Ashcroft and Clinton will have to be connected. And if an undertaking to this extent is one condition upon which the C.N.R. might be persuaded to relieve the Province of the greater part of the property it ought to be worth it.

While the outlook for the P.G.E. under provincial Government ownership is by no means as unpromising as it was, more economical management and the success of development schemes in the country traversed having put quite a different complexion upon general prospects, it follows that if the Canadian National could be persuaded to take it over and operate it, wholly or in part, it might be an excellent thing for both the company and the Province.

HEALTHY BUSINESS

FIGURES issued to-day by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics indicate that bank debits to individual accounts in the clearing house centres of Canada during July showed an increase of approximately fourteen per cent. over the preceding month. The actual figures for last month were $2,323,000,000 as against $2,057,000,000 for June—an increase of $266,000,000. During the same period the clearings increased from $1,260,000,000 to $1,461,000,000.

Although all the industrial areas enjoyed substantial gains, the increase in the debits of the prairie provinces was most marked. It is pointed out that the chief source of increase may be traced to the activity in the grain trade of Winnipeg—in which city the debits were $454,000,000 as against $342,000,000 in June—but it is similarly emphasized that, when allowance has been made for seasonal variation, the advance was nearly forty-six per cent. Increases also are noted in the smaller centres, the debits of Edmonton increasing nearly thirty-one per cent.; Moose Jaw, nineteen per cent.; Saskatoon, eleven per cent.; and Regina, ten per cent.

Of considerable local interest, however, is the fact that the debits of Victoria increased about fifty-three per cent., the advance being from $18,000,000 to $29,500,000. Similarly in Vancouver and New Westminster the July returns were more favorable than in June, while the increase for British Columbia as a whole is given as $18,000,000, or nearly fourteen per cent.

These figures, taken in a national sense, reflect an exceedingly brisk mid-Summer business. As far as Victoria is concerned, and the Province in general, for that matter, the increase of money on call indicates some idea of the value of the tourist trade to this part of the country. It is one of the best arguments that could be advanced in support of the campaign for more funds for the Publicity Bureau.

BUSINESS DONE

SOME of the benefits which Canada is already deriving from her magnificent display at the British Empire Exhibition were detailed in a cabled dispatch from London on Saturday.

Definite results so far include a contract for the entire output of a Canadian dry milk dealer for the next five years. This is business worth $800,000. Orders for more than 1,000,000 boxes of Canadian assorted fruits are traced to the impression which the Dominion's display at Wembley has made upon "the trade." Then the weekly sale of 8,000 pounds of cheese to the restaurant directors at the exhibition is no mean business. And the fact that the caterers at Wembley—Messrs. Joseph Lyons and Sons—have introduced Canadian cheese into their cafes, of which there are now hundreds all over the country, is excellent news for the producer on this side.

Nobody, be he Canadian or Britisher, New Zealander or Australian, Frenchman or American, goes through the Dominion's building at Wembley without coming out with the fixed opinion that, to use one well-known British journalist's expression, "this time Canada has beaten them all."

What the Dominion Government has expended at Wembley already has been justified by the education which it has given to thousands and thousands of people whose previous conception of Canada was comical to a degree. Its advertising value can not be assessed at this stage; but it is safe to say that the Canadian Pavilion is the best piece of propaganda the Empire has seen to date.

Mr. Henry Ford says Montreal would be a village if it were not for its harbor. If it were not for the Atlantic Ocean trains would be running between New York and London.

The Prince of Wales is reported to have danced until his collar wilted. We wager that no feminine passenger on the Berengaria would wilt if the Prince asked her to dance more than once.

Mars having passed on, Venus having disclosed her lunar proximity, Premier Oliver having been returned for Nelson, the weather man having favored the senior golfers, how about a more liberal response to the Publicity Bureau's drive for funds in order that Victoria may improve her place in the sun?

PUBLIC SERVICE

From The St. John Telegraph

Carvell could have retired from politics in any of the later years and made more money by his profession, but most men who have struggled into public favor will only relinquish it when forced to. Carvell was one of these. To resign his seat and accept offers made to him by large corporations was to abandon an opportunity to do something that would be for the benefit of the country.

STILL HOPING IN THE EAST

From The Halifax Herald

The Herald does not want to think that the project (experimental coal shipments) has died a painless death. It wants to think that practical men are working out practical methods of marketing Canadian coal in the Canadian country; and it wants to think that there will be something doing in this regard during the current year. But there has been ominous silence since Parliament closed.

THE SKYLARK

Reminiscent of Devon and Somerset

The lark now soars above its nest,
To greet the rosy flush of dawn;
Now, poised with wing and fluttering breast,
It scatters darkness with its song.

Long ere the world will hear the lay,
It trills a matin song each day;
"Up with the lark" so blythe and gay
And sing the morning hour away.

When shades of eve steal o'er the fold,
It soars above the golden corn,
And floods the air with warbling bold:
As fresh and tireless as at morn.

Long through the evening's twilight glow
It trills a vesper song each day;
"Up with the lark" our song will flow,
And sing the care of day away.

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Dr. Frank Crane on "England a Liberal Giver"

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ACCORDING to Frederick Cunliffe-Owen, England, which has long had the reputation of being the greatest landgrabbing nation in existence, has really given away, for nothing, much territory.

He says that it may possibly be news to many Britishers, and also their kinsfolk in the United States, that there is no empire on the face of the globe that has done so much in the way of voluntary relinquishment of oversea possessions as Great Britain.

It is timely to call attention to that fact in connection with her voluntary transfer of Jubaland to Italy. The very location and size of Jubaland was ignored by the vast majority of the 400,000,000 people who are subject to King George, yet Jubaland is a valuable tract of territory, larger than the Kingdom of Scotland, embracing some fifty thousand square miles forming the Northern part of the British Colony of Kenya, in East Africa.

The territory in question lies to the southwest of the broad River Juba which, until recently, has constituted the Anglo-Italian border line.

Lloyd George and Lord Curzon conveyed the impression that Great Britain was endeavoring to evade her obligations with regard to Jubaland at the close of the war and this created intense bitterness in Italy and was responsible for much of the unfriendliness which Mussolini, for a time, displayed toward England at the Lausanne Congress. But when the new Labor Cabinet came into office at Downing Street, and Premier Ramsay MacDonald assumed the direction of the foreign relations of the Empire, after careful consideration he took the line that the national honor of England was involved in fulfilling her obligations on the subject of her East African provinces. And he has taken now the necessary steps for turning over the Jubaland to Italy without any further quibbling.

Jubaland is only one of a long list of territory which Great Britain has voluntarily relinquished. The Philippines once belonged to England, having surrendered in 1762 to the naval forces under the command of Sir William Draper and Admiral Samuel Cornish. After a few years England found out that emigrants would not go to the Philippines on account of its distance and the treachery of the climate and so, a few years later, without any bearing being brought to bear upon her she deliberately, and of her own accord, restored the islands to

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The Great Final Struggle

IN the Summer of 1758, third campaign of the Seven Years' War, the mighty, final struggle between France and England for the control of the North American Continent, General Abercrombie led a great British army of six thousand three hundred regulars and nine thousand colonial troops against Canada by the route of Lake George, Lake Champlain and the Richelieu River. As a matter of fact he did not get as far as Lake Champlain. The brilliant young officer, Brigadier-General Lord Howe, "the noblest Englishman that has appeared in my time, and the best soldier in the British army" as General Wolfe wrote of him, appointed second-in-command by Pitt, so that Abercrombie, whose family influence was too strong for the great War Minister, might be allowed to make no mistakes, was killed in a petty skirmish almost as soon as the army had started to move northward from its encampment at the southern end of Lake George. Bereft of the brains of his expedition, on July 8, Abercrombie, in his bull-headed, stupid incompetence, neglecting his overwhelming artillery, oblivious to all the strategic moves within his power, sent his magnificent regulars with the bayonet up a pitted, cleverly obstructed slope against a position impossible to infantry at Fort Ticonderoga, where the outlet of Lake George enters Lake Champlain. Here General the Marquis de Montcalm with three thousand six hundred French regulars and militia held the breastwork they had so feverishly constructed during the past day or so against charge after charge of the indomitable redcoats. When he had suffered two thousand casualties at dusk Abercrombie withdrew his men, and in a panic, absurd because his remaining force was over three times as strong as the French, retreated precipitately to the southern end of Lake George again, actually in terror of an attack.

Colonel Bradstreet, a New Englander who had served as a captain in the war of ten years before, had worked out a scheme for the sudden seizure of the French Fort Frontenac which stood where Kingston, Ontario, stands to-day. When he submitted it to Abercrombie he was snubbed, though Lord Howe approved and advocated it. After the defeat at Ticonderoga, however, Abercrombie, who in reality profoundly distrusted himself, yielded to the advice of a council of war and accepted the plan. Colonel Bradstreet was given charge and provided with three thousand troops, of whom only a very few were regulars.

LEAVING Albany on the Hudson, the main base for this sector, Bradstreet moved his command westward up the Mohawk River and then down the Onondaga into Lake Ontario at the point where lay the blackened timbers of Fort Oswego which Montcalm had captured so brilliantly, and had destroyed in the Summer of 1756.

On August 22 Colonel Bradstreet embarked his men in flat boats and started for Fort Frontenac, distant sixty miles or so. He landed on August 25, not far from the fort. By the evening of August 26 he had moved his men up to within two hundred yards of the walls. On the morning of August 27 the French commandant, De Noyan, seeing no hope, as soon as the bombardment commenced surrendered the place and his pitifully inadequate garrison of one hundred and ten men, including workmen.

Fort Frontenac was the great French base-depot for all the western forts. The French, who never had in Canada one-half the number of troops, regulars or militia, that the British could bring to bear, had been forced to denude this vital point to provide men for Montcalm's army at Ticonderoga opposing Abercrombie's menacing force in camp at the southern end of Lake George. They had been forced to take the chance of surprise and had lost. Now there fell into British hands all the provisions, ammunition and indispensable presents for the Indians on which those western forts depended. Later that same year Fort Duquesne, which stood where Pittsburg in Pennsylvania stands to-day, fell to the British because its defence had been crippled by the fall of Fort Frontenac.

There were nine vessels of war in the harbor, the French fleet on Lake Ontario, seven of which were burned by Bradstreet's order, and two used to transport the spoils. Seventy-six pieces of artillery were found and wrecked except for a few of the best. Then, having burned all the stores not wanted, burned the buildings, ruined the defences, Colonel Bradstreet led back his plunder-laden force to Albany on the Hudson. He had struck a staggering blow at French dominion in the West.

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LORD BYRON

To the Editor:—The refusal of Dean Ryle to allow a memorial to Byron in Westminster Abbey is likely to occasion some controversy. Many persons find it difficult to understand why the line should be drawn at Lord Byron. The Poet's Corner commemorates the memory of poets, regardless of their virtues or their vices. If morality is the point of issue, it might be desirable to dig up the bones and remove the memorials of the larger portion of those commemorated in the abbey.

A short time ago the body of an "unknown soldier" was laid to rest within the sacred edifice. His interment was intended to typify sacrifice for a cause and to honor those who fell in the same cause. Byron also died for a cause which he voluntarily espoused. The unknown warrior might have been the best man in the army or the worst. He might have been an eager volunteer or an unwilling conscript. These points were never raised. It is said that "to know all is to forgive all." Perhaps Byron was not as black as he is painted. The refusal to honor his memory as a poet seems a ridiculous and unwarranted objection and a high-handed manner of dealing with a public request. To Lord Byron, of course, it matters not at all!

JOHN BULL.

Victoria, B.C., August 25, 1924.

A DELIGHTFUL PRODUCTION

To the Editor:—Carve a collar-button better than the rest, and the world makes a trail to your door. No place is really off the map if the public wants to get to it. "The Beggar's Opera" drew all London to Hammersmith, and Pantages, under new and energetic management, is destined to draw Victorians further down Government Street than they thought they would be likely or willing to go. I for one am not a "movie fan." I have neither the time, money nor inclination to sit through dozens of silly mushy over-advertised pictures in order not to miss the good ones that are occasionally presented.

But "A Lady of Quality" drew me irresistibly to Pantages last night. Anything that Frances Hodgson Burnett wrote would be delightful, and remembering that this was one of the only two of her books to be dramatized, there seemed great possibilities for a screen version. The book has the true dramatic quality. To what extent, I wondered, would the director have ruined it? The beginning of the eighteenth century was a picturesque period, and as the story unfolded itself on the screen one could see that Mr. Hobart Henley, who is responsible for the production, is a man of keen dramatic instinct peculiarly sensitive to artistic values. Lady Clorinda is an exacting part requiring great personal beauty of a very refined type, as well as stage technique of a high order. I remember that Miss Julia Arthur played the part with considerable success in the stage version. But in Virginia Valli you see the personification of the author's ideal. The story might have been written to make a part for her. Milton Sills has less opportunity as the Duke of Osmonde than usual, but the villain, Sir John Oxon, is exceptionally good. The whole production is remarkable for its beauty and distinction.

Even the theatre seems to have taken a new lease of life. It looks cleaner and fresher. What added enormously to one's enjoyment of "A Lady of Quality" was the excellence of the music. Mr. Wm. F. Tickle's orchestra of ten musicians played appropriate music, which is so unusual, and played it well. Beethoven's "Moonlight Sonata" was woven into the story. "The Grand March" from Tannhauser and the "Andante" from the Fifth Symphony flowed along with the current of the romance so that they seemed a natural part of the pageantry. Mr. J. W. Davis and his associates are much to be congratulated for their enterprise in resuscitating what looked like a dead theatre. Victoria needs all the attractions and amusements we can offer our visitors, and if the repeated applause of the big audience last night is any criterion of merit, one may safely prophesy a long run of success for Pantages under its new management.

L. BULLOCK-WEBSTER.

A MESSAGE FROM MARS

To the Editor:—On my return from Nelson this morning my attention was drawn to certain editorials which have appeared in your paper dealing with certain caustic references which I am supposed to have levelled at Mr. Oliver from the platform at Nelson anent supposedly shortcomings on his part in the matter of grammar and pronunciation in some of his public utterances.

Now, Mr. Editor, I may say that while in Nelson we read in the Coast papers of certain strange messages that have been received hereabouts by radio enthusiasts which could not be explained by local scientists, other than that they must have been broadcast from Mars and, if I may say so, Sir, after reading your editorials I am inclined to believe that you must have got your wires crossed with our neighboring planet in some inexplicable manner, because such statements were certainly not uttered nor was any such inference ever made by me during the Nelson campaign.

I have crossed swords with Mr. Oliver on many occasions, Mr. Editor, and I think that he will say that I have at all times acted as a gentleman towards him no matter how hot the debate may have been.

From personal acquaintances with you and the members of your staff I appreciate that no matter how diverse our political views may be that you wish at all times to be fair in your comments and criticisms, hence this letter.

I grant you that the air must have been surcharged with political electricity during the week of the campaign, but nevertheless I am constrained to believe that the politicians in Mars must have been engaged in an election campaign of their own at the same time and that your informant failed to detect that these messages were coming through from our neighboring planet instead of Nelson, where they were most certainly not uttered or suggested by me.

R. H. POOLEY.

Victoria, B.C., August 26, 1924.

THE ASTROPHYSICAL TELESCOPE

To the Editor—It was a matter of much interest to our distinguished visitors, the members of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, and the members of the International Mathematical Congress, to find in Victoria the biggest telescope in the whole of the British Empire.

It was well said in this connection that Victoria had at least one supreme advantage over all other parts of Canada, or for that matter, of the other Dominions.

In proposing the toast to the visiting members, coupled with other names, at the civic banquet at the Empress, one distinguished name was omitted, but surely not forgotten.

I certainly feel that Victoria should not let this opportunity pass without paying a grateful but unostentatious tribute to the great original mind, the great mathematician, to whom they owe their supreme advantage in possessing the second biggest astrophysical telescope in the wide world.

It was the life purpose of this gracious and unostentatious man, the late Dr. King, C.U.G., of Ottawa, to provide his beloved country, Canada, with the most powerful astrophysical telescope in the world.

As chief Dominion astronomer he was responsible for the selection of Victoria, or its vicinity, on account of the equable climate as the most favorable situation in the Dominion for the telescope.

Unfortunately delays occurred in getting the necessary appropriations through the Dominion Parliament, and come modification of Dr. King's original purpose seemed advisable.

Fortunately there was another great spirit in Ottawa, who at this time was Premier of the Dominion Cabinet, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in heart and soul in perfect harmony with Dr. King's life-long vision.

These two sympathetic minds fought the good fight together persistently, and the end was success.

It is impossible in a short letter for publication to give details of the struggle. Perhaps it is enought to say that Dr. King had the matter well in hand, when he was suddenly called away to a higher sphere and for a higher purpose.

MALCOLM CAMERON.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 27.—5 a.m.—The barometer remains high over this Province and fine, warm weather extends from the Coast to Manitoba.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.07; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 53; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 60; wind, 10 miles W.; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 90; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 34; wind, calm; rain, .44; weather, clear.

Estevan—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 36; wind, 10 miles N.W.; rain, .12; weather, clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 54; wind, 12 miles S.W.; weather, foggy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 88; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles N.W.; weather, clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N.E.; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton — Temperature, maximum yesterday, 76; minimum, 44; rain, .02.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	67	53
Vancouver	78	60
Prince Rupert	62	..
Penticton	93	..
Grand Forks	93	..
Nelson	90	..
Kaslo	91	..
Calgary	72	46
Qu'Appelle	72	46
Moose Jaw	81	53
Winnipeg	78	48
Regina	72	46
Toronto	82	..
Ottawa	82	..
Montreal	74	..
St. John	68	..
Halifax	67	..

Election Writ Time Extended

Time for the return of the writs in the Vancouver election were today extended by the Government from September 2 to September 15, Premier Oliver announced. This is to give time for completing the recount.

The date for the return of the writs on the plebiscite has been extended to October 2.

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BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Sand Pie

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By Howard R. Garis

There sounded one morning a tap-pity tap tap and a rattle and bang on the window of the driftwood cottage bungalow where Uncle Wiggily was staying for a time at the seashore.

"There's the Sand Flipper again!" cried Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, covering her eyes with her paws, for she didn't want to have to blink any tears away.

"No, it isn't the Sand Flipper," said Uncle Wiggily, looking out of the window.

"Then it's the Slippery Lobster!" said the muskrat lady housekeeper.

"Wrong again!" laughed Uncle Wiggily. "It's Curly and Floppy Twistytail, the pigs. I guess they came down on a seashore excursion."

"What do they want?" asked Nurse Jane. "They shouldn't throw sand

"Oh, they look just like real pies!" she cried.

and gravel at the window that way. They might break it."

"Oh, I guess that won't happen!" chuckled Mr. Longears. And as he opened the door Curly and Floppy scrambled in with squeals of delight for they liked Uncle Wiggily.

"Come on down to the beach and play with us!" grunted Floppy.

"We're going to help Baby Bunty make a sand pie," added Curly.

"It is very kind of you to play with the little orphan rabbit girl," said Uncle Wiggily, "and I will go with you to see that she doesn't eat too much sand pie."

"Ho! Ho! You don't eat sand pie!" laughed Floppy. "You just take some wet sand and put it in a big clam shell, and pat it down and it looks like chocolate candy——but you don't eat it!"

"Oh, don't you?" asked Uncle Wiggily, just as if he didn't know. Oh, he was a teaser, that old rabbit gentleman was. A regular teaser!

"No, of course you don't eat sand pies!" and Curly roared with laughter. "But come on, please, Uncle Wiggily, and we'll help Baby Bunty make a lot of them."

Down on the beach the old rabbit gentleman, the little rabbit orphan girl and the kind piggie boys played and had fun. Uncle Wiggily didn't care if his whiskers were getting grey around the edges. His heart was still young.

He dug up wet sand for the children, he helped them pat it into some big clam shells that the piggies found on the beach. Baby Bunty put little crinkily edges around the edges of the sand in the shells.

"Oh, they just look like real pies, don't they?" she cried, clapping her paws with delight as she looked at the row of them. Uncle Wiggily was just digging up more sand, thinking the children might like it make a play house, when, all of a sudden, up on the beach flopped the big, bad old Walrus.

"Guff! Guff! Guff!" gurgled the Walrus, shaking his tusks. "I heard you speaking of pie's. I'll eat up all the pies you have and then I'll nibble Uncle Wiggily's ears!" and most hungrily he looked at the bunny. Then the Walrus saw the row of clam shells with crinkily edges. "Oh, ho! So those are the pies, are they?" he roared, lumbering toward them.

"Don't eat those!" cried Uncle Wiggily, holding up a paw. "Don,t!"

"Pooh! Do you think I'll mind you?" sneered the Walrus. "I'll eat up all the pies—every one!" And he did! Most greedily he gobbled all the sand pies into his mouth at once, thinking they were chocolate, I suppose.

But when he found his mouth and teeth and tongue covered with sand that Walrus didn't feel so smart.

"Oh, Goopie! Goopie!" he howled, and then he flopped back down into the ocean to wash the sand out of his teeth. Silly Walrus, wasn't he? But, anyhow, the sand pies saved the bunny's ears. And if the strawberry shortcake doesn't try to roll around like a hoop and lose its dignity, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the pebble pudding.

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Unbobbed Girls Now Aristocrats of the Chorus

New York, Aug. 27—All girls in New York haven't bobbed their hair. Sixteen chorus girls in one dancing act are modern Loreleis. They appear rather arisocratic, too.

A Thought

Wherefore let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall.—1 Cor. 10-12.

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Admonition must descend, as the dew upon the tender herb, or like melting flakes of snow; the softer it falls, the longer it dwells upon and the deeper it sinks into the mind.—Seed.

District W.C.T.U.—The District W.C.T.U. will meet on Friday at 2.30 in the institute rooms, Surrey Block, Yates Street, for a social afternoon. Miss Sproule of Vancouver will be the speaker.

To Fleck Off an Old or Soiled Complexion

A woman need never cease to have a young-looking complexion if she will acquire the simple mercolized wax habit. The wax actually takes off the old complexion, with all its imperfections, and the newer and livelier skin, which then appears, bears that rare beauty and irresistible loveliness that only a youthful skin can possess. The skin is indeed youthful, in reality as well as in appearance. The natural process of tissue-change, which slows up with the passing of the years, and in most conditions of ill-health, is hastened along by this mercolized wax treatment. Faded, muddy, tanned, freckled or blotchy skin is flecked off in powder-like particles, a little each day, causing no inconvenience.

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— IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN —

POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE MARRIED

Miss Mary MacKinnon Becomes Bride of Elliott Totty

Two popular young people were the principals at a pretty wedding at the First Presbyterian Church last evening when the pastor, Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., united in marriage Mary, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John MacKinnon, 1102 Princess Avenue, and Elliott Totty, well-known young architect of this city, and elder son of the Rev. and Mrs. B. Totty of Dawson, Y.T.

Girl friends of the bride under the leadership of Miss Rose McKenna had decorated the church with pleasing effect. Either aisle leading to the chancel was surmounted by a floral arch composed of deep pink and white asters. African marigolds and jasmine, while the guest pews were marked by pink asters and pale pink tulle bows.

The bride, entering the church on the arm of her father, was radiantly pretty in her bridal gown of ivory flat crepe trimmed with bands of Point Venise lace, with embroidered tulle veil worn under a bandeau of exquisite Honiton lace and orange blossoms. A bouquet of Ophelia roses and swansonia completed her toilette.

Two bridesmands were in attendance. Miss Bernadette McKinnon wore a dainty gown of Nile green georgette trimmed with hands of silver lace and hat of silver cloth and lace, and Miss Kezia Sehl was in melon crepe de Chine trimmed with accordion pleated panels edged with guipure lace with which she wore a hat of silver cloth and lace. Both carried bouquets of mauve and pink sweet peas.

During the signing of the register Mrs. Harry Lasenby very sweetly sang "At Bridal Dawn" (Taylor).

Dr. Angus McKinnon acted as best man, and the ushers were Messrs. John Clay and Chas. Walls.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, the reception rooms being pretty with flowers. Mrs. MacKinnon in a French beaded georgette gown of black assisted in receiving the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Totty left on the night boat en route for Lake Crescent, the bride traveling in a navy blue tailored gown, black velvet hat with French embroidery and scarf of marten.

TEACHES METHOD OF CHILD INSTRUCTION

Dr. Jessie White, Woman Scientist of London, Visitor Here Yesterday

Among the interesting women who accompanied the second party of members of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, which arrived in Victoria yesterday morning to join the main body, was Dr. Jessie White of London, England.

Dr. White is a doctor of science and she is conducting the Auto-education Institute in London. This institute gives lectures to school teachers on the application of the Montessori method as applied to English schools, and an experimental school of small children is attached to this institute. The classes average an attendance of about fifty members.

For many years Dr. White has been interested in the improvement of teaching conditions for child instruction, and is well versed in conditions in continental institutions.

Dr. White left again with the party yesterday for the East en route for England.

STAR CONSTRUCTION COMPANY DEVELOPS HOLDINGS AT SOOKE

(Special to The Times)

Sooke Harbor, Aug. 26.—The new settlement being made at Sooke by the Star Construction Company, now covers approximately fifty acres of land. The company has purchased for its settlement some of the land in the vicinity of the spit on the beautiful road built through that portion of Sooke during last year by the Department of Public Works. A number of acres of ground has also been taken up by the Star Construction Company on that part of the main Sooke Road which runs a short distance past the Sooke centre.

A great deal of the land is being cleared, houses are being erected, and roads are being built throughout this acreage. A great many cords of pulpwood have been cut by the logging department of the Star Construction Company, while the fisheries department are working on the plant on Whiffen Spit which has been leased from the Government and which the Construction Company will operate in a very short time.

About twenty families have moved to Sooke from Victoria in the past month, and a great many more are expected to arrive here during the month of September.

Plans are now underway for a school to be built in a central position for the children of the members of the Star Construction Company. This school is to be operated under the sole supervision and expense of the company, and will include the first years of high school teaching as well as the lower grades.

Overseas League.—After a two-month's holiday, the Overseas League will open their Winter programme with a luncheon at David Spencer's on Wednesday, September 3. Members wishing to attend will kindly notify Mrs. Wheatley, Jubilee Avenue.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. A. B. Palmer of Vancouver is registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Rev. J. W. Flinton of Sandwick is registered at the Dominion Hotel.

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Dr. H. L. Keenleyside of Vancouver is registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr. P. P. Harrison, M.P.P. for Comox, is registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. R. O. Lamb, of Victoria, is the guest of Mrs. P. B. Mills of Vancouver.

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Mr. George Lindsay of Vancouver is spending a few days in Victoria on business.

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Miss Nell Wyles, Pandora Avenue, has returned from a trip up the West Coast.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Godwin of Ocean Falls are guests at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Miss Mary I. Silk of Victoria, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hawkins of William Head.

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Mrs. Marshall Beck of Vancouver is visiting her mother, Lady McBride, Quadra Street.

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Mrs. Gouge, Colwood, has returned from Vancouver, where she was visiting friends for a few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Godfrey after spending a few days in Victoria, have returned to their home in Seattle.

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Mr. and Mrs. Akerman of Salt Spring Island are visitors in Victoria and are guests at the Balmoral Hotel.

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Mr. John Cockell of Sydney, N.S., is the guest of his brother, Mr. Ernest Cockell, Granite Street, Oak Bay.

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Mrs. H. J. Adams, of Duncan, is a visitor in Victoria and is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Eberts, Gorge Road.

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Miss Kathleen Fraser and Miss Marjorie F. Press of Victoria have been spending a few days in Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Tonkin of Salt Lake City, are in Vancouver and are expected in Victoria at the end of the week.

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Miss Kathleen Corry has returned to the city from Vancouver where she has been the guest of Miss Lillian Cope.

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Mrs. F. D. Herchmer of Deep Cove is spending a few days in town as the guest of Mrs. N. F. Ferris, Beach Drive.

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Miss Ethel Alford of Calgary, Alberta, who has been enjoying a few weeks' holiday in Victoria, is leaving to-day for home.

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Capt. and Mrs. Sparks, of the cable ship Restorer, were the guests of Mrs. T. W. Barrett at Shawnigan Lake yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dawson of Vancouver are spending the present week in Victoria, and are guests at the Cadboro Bay Hotel.

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Mr. J. R. Green has rented Major Audain's home on Foul Bay Road and with Mrs. Green and family will shortly be resident there.

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Mrs. I. Stusser, who has been visiting in Victoria as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mallek, Fernwood Road, has returned to her home in Seattle.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. C. Holland, of Victoria, are visiting in Vancouver and during their stay there are in residence at Devonshire Court, Georgia Street.

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Judge and Mrs. Lampman have returned to Victoria from Shawnigan Lake, where they have been residing at their Summer home for the past few months.

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Mrs. K. H. Beck, of 515 Superior Street, with her little daughter, Helen, has returned from an automobile tour of three weeks on Vancouver Island.

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Mrs. James Lawrence of Vancouver arrived in Victoria this afternoon on a visit to her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lawrence, Island Road, Oak Bay.

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Mr. Colin W. Cotton, who has been spending a few days in Victoria as the guest of his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wyles, Pandora Avenue, has returned to his home in Portland, Oregon.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Burke of Vancouver are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Oddy, Douglas Street, having come over to attend the wedding of their niece, Miss Elsie Oddy and Mr. H. K. Perry.

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Madame Sonet, wife of Professor Sonet of the faculty of the University of Alberta, has arrived in the city from Edmonton and will spend some weeks on Vancouver Island before returning to her home.

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Miss McDonald, Miss Margaret McDonald and Miss Elizabeth McDonald, who for the past three weeks have been guests at "Ethewold," Cook Street, have left for Seattle en route for their home in Butte, Montana.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sylvester, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Stacey, have returned to their homes in Victoria after a very pleasant holiday spent in a motor trip to Portland and return via the Port Angeles ferry.

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Following the lecture given by Professor Eddington at the Victoria HighSchool last evening, Professor and Mrs. P. H. Elliott entertained the speaker and a number of the visiting scientists at supper at their home on Linden Avenue.

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Mrs. Telfer, who has been spending her Summer vacation in Victoria as the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lawrence, Island Road, Oak Bay, is leaving to-morrow for Vancouver, en route to her home in Revelstoke.

Mr. E. J. Chambers, president of the Associated Growers of British Columbia, Limited, Vernon, and Mr. G. Chambers of the Dominion Drag Saw, Limited, of Vancouver, spent the week-end with their mother Mrs. R. Chambers, Grange Road, Garden City.

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Miss Isabelle Taylor, the popular librarian of the Hudson's Bay Company, who on Saturday relinquished her position in view of her forthcoming marriage, was on Saturday presented with a handsome case of cutlery from her fellow-employees. The presentation was made by Mr. J. S. Home.

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Mr. N. M. McCarter, 646 Hillside Avenue, left last night for Calgary to attend the celebration of his golden wedding jubilee, which will be held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hobkirk, where Mrs. Carter is at present visiting. All members of the family will be present in a reunion on Sunday, Aug. 29. Mr. and Mrs. McCarter were married in Walkerton, Ont., Aug. 29, 1874.

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Guests at the Dominion Hotel attending the conference of the Pacific Northwest Library Association are: Eveline Bean, Eliza Bean and Anna Ollerton of Provo, Utah; Mrs. A. E. Rice of Salida, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. John S. Richards of Ellensburg, Wash.; Martha Spofford of Eugene, Ore.; Mrs. and Miss Tully and Mrs. and Miss Hedden of Seattle, Wash.; Julia L. Crocker of Tacoma, Wash.; Lillian Collins of Aberdeen, Wash.; Mrs. Myra Lyons of McCleary, Wash.; Alma O'Conner of Aberdeen, Wash.; Margaret E. Bates, Hilda M. Lamefield, Edith Will and Constance Ewing of Portland, Ore.; Miss J. M. Bulkeley of Seattle, Wash.; and Miss Ruth Moody of Everett, Wash.

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The home of Mrs. Harry Bullen, St. Charles Street, was the scene of a delightful dance last evening when her daughters, the Misses Jane and Freda Warter, were hostesses to a number of guests. Yellow daisies were used with charming effect in the decoration of the reception rooms and Zala's orchestra supplied the music for dancing. The guests included Commander and Mrs. Oland, Miss Dola Dunsmuir, Miss Gwenneth Lemon, Mrs. G. Bolton, the Misses Ruth and Anna McBride, Miss Helen Tatlow (Vancouver), Misses Dorothy and Mary Proctor (Vancouver), Miss Catherine Fraser, Miss Kathleen Ross, Miss Louise Campbell, Miss Betty Kirk, Miss Helen Holt, (Vancouver), Miss Marjorie Oates, Messrs. Paul, Gordon and Walter Hughes, Graham Gorrie (Toronto), Chisholm Fraser, Beau Burdick, Harry Crane, R. Wilson, Richard and William Wilson, Arthur Proctor, H. Tatlow and Captain McIntosh.

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A delightful surprise party, which took the form of a flannel dance, was held last evening at the home of Mrs. A. M. Johnson, Rockland Avenue, having been arranged in honor of Miss Frances Johnson by a number of her young friends. Among those present were the Misses Kathleen Denton Holmes, Veda Shandley, Isobel Headley, Dorothy Downes, Kathleen Gann, Joan Spurgin, Mickey and Eileen Galliher, Mildred Phillipson, Rosemary Nasmith, Cecelia Garesche, Mary Ebbs Conavon, Louis Pollard, Constance and Nancy Ross, Helen Thomson, Sheila Stewart, Lois and Audrey Tripp, Alice and Constance Code, Jean Johnston, Messrs. Ted and Dick Moore, Tim Martin, Cedric Walker, Bert Allen, Tony Farrar, Arthur and Walter Fraser, Barbara Elliott, Royden Morris, Boy Bentley, Dick Diespecker, Connolly Parrot, Phil Pollard, Larry Henderson Eilbeck Wilson, Dennis and Bill Hagar, Harold Haynes, Douglas Hunter, Teddy Grubb, Douglas Wilson, Eric Spurgon, Douglas Cree, John Davidson and Gerald Sandy.

GANGES

(Special to The Times)

Ganges, Aug. 27.—Dr. E. H. Lawson, M.D., M.C., is building a home at Ganges. Mr. W. H. Seymour has secured the contract.

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Cedar telephone poles are being cut by Mr. Becker on R. C. Weight's property in the Cranberry district, Salt Spring Island, for the Federal Lumber Co.

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Mr. Wiltshire, R.O.P. inspector, is on Salt Spring Island visiting the various herds of cattle under the test.

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Dr. Harding and Master Harding of Victoria, Philip P. Brown, Mrs. Garner, Miss Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Steele and two sons of Vancouver are visitors at Harbor House, Ganges.

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Mrs. J. R. Cameron and baby, who have been visiting Ganges, have left for their home at Ashcroft. Mrs. Cameron has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Buck.

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Mrs. C. S. Wood of Courtenay, has left Ganges for Nanaimo.

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Mr. Gavin C. Mouat of Spokane, has left Ganges for a visit with friends at Nanaimo, and will be the guest of Mr. Mercer.

DUNCAN

Mrs. Nichol of Vancouver is the house guest of Mrs. A. V. Welsh for a few days.

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Miss M. Macbean, who has been spending the last few months with her sister, Mrs. H. B. Hayward, Quamichan Lake, left on Sunday to return to her home in the Old Country.

SOOKE HARBOR

Miss F. Muir has returned to her home here from Duncan, where she has been spending a short holiday with friends.

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Mrs. R. Felton and her daughter, Miss B. Felton, have returned to their home here after spending the past week in Seattle.

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Mr. A. St. A. Campbell left Sooke this week for Alberta, where he expects to remain for the next two months.

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Mr. and Mrs. McKay of Vancouver are spending a holiday in Sooke and are guests at Paradise Inn.

MISS ELSIE ODDY WAS PRETTY BRIDE

Married To-day to Henry K. Perry, Owner of Pacific Transfer

St. John's Church was the scene of a pretty wedding at 3 o'clock this afternoon, when the Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick united in marriage Elsie, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Oddy, Douglas Street, and Mr. Henry Kenneth Perry, son of the late Mr. Henry Perry of Torquay, England, and owner of the Pacific Transfer Company.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride, a picture of youth and charm, was gowned in cream crepe satin, simply fashioned and trimmed with pearl cabochons and wore the conventional veil attached to the coiffure in coronet style. A shower bouquet of ophelia roses and swansonia completed the bridal attire. Miss Vera Paget made a charming bridesmaid in a dress of powder blue georgette, trimmed with silver lace and carried a shower bouquet of pink and lavender sweet peas.

Little Miss Joan McDonald of Seattle, as flower girl looked dainty in a frock of white crepe de Chine and carried a basket filled with fragrant flowers. The groom was supported by Mr. John Wright. Mr. John Oddy and Mr. Thos. Burke of Vancouver, acted as ushers.

For the occasion the church was a mass of Summer flowers and the guest pews were signified with clusters of flowers tied with tulle.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents on Douglas Street, where Mrs. Oddy, in a gown of black canton crepe with hat to match, assisted in receiving the guests. Sweet peas and asters in pastel shades formed the floral decoration in the home. In the dining-room, a large three-tier wedding cake centred the table. The following friends of the bride assisted in serving refreshments: Mrs. T. E. Brown, Mrs. Fulton, Mrs. Coffee, Mrs. Burton, the Misses Muriel Bartholomew, Evelyn, Nellie and Emily Warburton and Mary Rainey.

Later in the day Mr. and Mrs. Perry left by motor for Sidney and Bellingham en route to San Francisco, and on their return will reside at 720 Linden Avenue.

Among the out of town guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Burke of Vancouver; Mrs. Coffee of Los Angeles, Mrs. T. E. Brown of Duncan, Miss Flo McDonald of Seattle and Mrs. Burton of Sidney.

GARDEN PARTY AT MISS AGNEW'S HOME

Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., Arrange Delightful Affair For September 3

Miss Agnew is generously lending the beautiful gardens at her home, "Shuhum," Rockland Avenue, on Wednesday, September 3, for a garden party under the auspices of Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E. The proceeds will be devoted to the chapter's fund for furnishing a room in the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

In addition to the attraction furnished by the gardens, there will be clock golf, as well as stalls for the sale of aprons, fancy work, home cooking and candy. Afternoon tea will be served.

For those who prefer indoor attractions bridge will be arranged, tables for which may be reserved on application to telephones No. 308 or 4373L2.

HEATHER DAY SALE NETTED SUM OF $305

Lady Douglas Chapter Commemorated Departure of First Contingent

Heather Day, the anniversary of the departure of the first contingent in August, 1914, was observed by the Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., yesterday by the sale of heather in the streets. As a result the chapter realized the sum of $305.25, which will be devoted to its work among ex-service men and their dependents.

Bunches of heather to be distributed among the ex-service men were sent by the chapter to the Veterans of France and G.W.V.A. headquarters. Mrs. R. B. McMicking, regent of the chapter, was at the headquarters, on Government Street, kindly loaned by Pemberton & Sons, and gladly welcomed a number of returned men who called. General R. P. Clark sent a telegram of greeting from Vancouver, regretting his inability to call in person.

Mrs. Burton acted as general convener for the occasion and shared in the chapter's thanks to all those who assisted in the success of the anniversary.

Learn How To Walk

"Well, now that you have learned how to carry yourself, the next thing you need to know is how to walk. I mean by that how to use you feet," said Mr. Mann's physical director.

"Once you have managed to get a well poised body, you want to be sure of well directed feet.

"Such troubles as weak foot and flat foot are more prevalent among women than men. It isn't altogether the arch, as many think, but a general weakened condition of the leg muscles that support the arch.

"Faulty standing and walking can easily turn weak feet into flat feet.

"A good exercise for strengthening the leg muscles is to rise upon the toes from fifteen to thirty times each morning.

"People who toe out place a greater strain upon the arches of their feet than those who toe in. Persons who continuously toe out should try just as persistently to toe in and, in addition to the exercises, will soon be greatly benefited."

Formidable Field of Golfers After U.S. Lady Honors

New York, Aug. 27.—A field of 90 players will start in quest of the women's national golf championship, starting next Monday in the all-week tournament at the Rhode Island Country Club, Providence.

Pairings were announced to-night by the United States Golf Association for the qualifying round on Monday which will determine the thirty-two players surviving for match play the rest of the week.

Miss Edith Cummings, of Chicago, will defend her title against one of the most formidable fields in the history of the tournament. Her principal rivals include Glenna Collett, Providence star, who won the championship in 1922; Miss Marion Hollins, of Southampton, N.Y., 1921 title holder; Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd, of Philadelphia, twice former champion, and Miss Mary K. Browne, of Los Angeles, former tennis champion, who is making a formidable bid for honors on the links.

I.O.G.T. to Meet.—The I.O.G.T. will meet on Tuesday at Room 5, Surrey Block to consider plans for the Grand Lodge session to be held here on September 13

10 Days Sale

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Lower Hospital Fees Are Opposed

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Scoring the proposal of the city of Victoria to cut the fee for indigent cases from outside municipalities at British Columbia hospitals from $2.50 to $1.50 a day, the board of directors of the Vancouver General Hospital last night instructed its delegate to the Union of British Columbia Municipalities convention to fight the proposal. "We are strictly opposed to that plan. It would kill our hospital. It will meet with favor among some of the cheap municipalities," said the directors.

J. J. Banfield will represent the General Hospital at a meeting of delegates to be held in Victoria.

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STANDING ROOM ONLY IN WORLD, SCIENTISTS FEAR

Population Jam is Centuries Off, But Rate of Increase in America Presents Problem

Williamstown, Mass., Aug. 27.—Is the world becoming over-populated?

Dr. Henry Pratt Fairchild, professor of social economy at New York University and an authority on immigration, believes there is danger of it. He told the Institute of Politics to-day that the population of the United States, at its present rate of increase, at the end of the twentieth century, would be 550,000,000, or one-third greater than the present population of China. Increase in the birthrate, safeguarded by better living conditions, in 10,000 years, he calculated, would produce more human beings than could be provided with standing room.

UNTOLD BILLIONS IN 10,000 YEARS

Before experts assembled to discuss "Population and Related Problems," Dr. Fairchild produced statistics to show the earth's probable density of population in future ages. His estimate of the world's population a hundred centuries hence was represented by a figure followed by a series of cyphers that extended into space like the mouse's tail in "Alice in Wonderland."

At that remote period in the future, he said, the human species, if unchecked by war or disease, would number "222 billions of billions of billions" and each person would have to stand upon only one and one-half square feet in all the earth's area, including the North and South Poles. At present the earth's 1,728,000,000 inhabitants have thirty square miles each to move in.

"In the animal and vegetable world," said Dr. Fairchild, "there is no species, however low its rate of reproduction, which could not cover the earth in a very few years if all the young produced could survive to the normal lifetime of the species."

Taking the oyster as an example, he said its unchecked reproduction in five generations, starting from one oyster alone, would result in a mass of oysters eight times the size of the earth. He quoted Havelock Ellis, the British expert on animal reproduction, as showing that there exists a minute animal organism which, if not killed off as rapidly as it was produced, would in a short period create a mass larger than the sun.

"When we face the question of dense population," continued Dr. Fairchild, "the element of standing room takes from the space available for the production of food. To what extent man may enlarge his standing room upward, we do not know. He has produced remarkable results in the skyscrapers in New York City, but we do not know how much farther his expansion in this direction may be carried.

"In the United States, at the rate based on the census figures of 1910 and 1920, in spite of war and epidemics, we will have by the end of the century a population one-third larger than China's present population. China is always cited as an example of intense overpopulation, but there will be teeming millions in the United States if our present increase continues. About the middle of the next century, at the same rate, we would have in this country as many people as there are now in the entire world.

"The figures relative to the United States bring the question home to us and show that there is a real problem to face—a problem that we must control rather than leave to the uncontrolled forces of nature."

Dr. Fairchild discussed factors tending to check overpopulation when the problem is left to nature. "In all animal and plant species," he said, "there is an annual production of vastly greater number of offspring because there is not standing room or food enough." He said a scientist's conception of Nature was not that of a beautiful and gentle spirit as represented by the poet, but of a ruthless monster "willing to have millions born and millions die."

Were over-population unsolved by man, he said, nature's cruel methods would be carried over from the plant and animal worlds into human existence. Among humans it was common for younger and older generations to compete with one another in the struggle for existence, he said. It was not unusual, he added, for primitive tribes to kill their elder members so there would be enough food for the younger. He said that in some Scandinavian countries there survive "family clubs," in which, in ancient times, the older members were eliminated by the younger members.

Dr. Fairchild said he purposely refrained from suggesting remedies to check overpopulation because in a series of future discussions before the institute he intends to deal further with the subject. He said, in concluding, that "a small birth rate and a high standard of parental care are the best criterion of a desirable evolutionary development."

Vancouver Inquest Result is Awaited

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Mrs. E. Aikin was struck and fatally injured last night by an automobile driven by George Reeves on Third Avenue. Reeves is held by the police pending the finding of the coroner's jury. A daughter of the dead woman lives in Alberta.

Mrs. Marion, Born In Old Fort Garry, Died Yesterday

Estevan, Sask., Aug. 27. — Mrs. Elizabeth Marion, ninety-five, one of the first white women born in Western Canada, was found dead in bed yesterday. Her death was due to natural causes. She was born in Fort Garry, the daughter of a Presbyterian missionary who came from Scotland over 100 years ago.

Books

CARL VAN VECHTEN'S new book, "The Tattooed Countess," is a tale of Main Street in the days of the dip shirtwaist, souvenir spoons, golden oak furniture and flinch parties.

According to H. G. Wells, from 1897 to 1924 is an infinitesmimally short period in the history of the world, but customs and manners can get out of focus considerably in twenty-seven years and points of view can be shifted enough to shove the dates quite far apart.

The countess with the tattooed wrist and the shaky morals returned to her mid-west farm town home before the reign of the flapper, when rouge was known as paint and lived in obscurity, if it polluted the bureau drawer at all, and when you could really start something if you smoked a cigarette before the neighbors.

But thus handicapped, the countess did a thoroughly good job of cradle-snaching and went back to Paris, Monte Carlo and points continental with the finest youth in Maple Valley in tow. Fifty years were as nothing to her when she really struck her gait.

"The Tattooed Countess" is highly amusing and satirical, but not nearly so gay or so naughty as "The Blind Bow-Boy." Van Vechten appears a trifle more studied in the Iowa background than when he is dealing with New York or Paris.

But there is a wealth of wit and sophistication in the book. The fact that he calls it a romantic novel with a happy ending, then recounts the affair of a fifty-year-old dame with a high school boy gives you some idea of what to expect.

If you like a witty, satirical, slightly risque story—that is, if you like Van Vechten, you'll like this story and be highly entertained. But if you adore Harold Bell Wright, you'll hate "The Tattooed Countess."

However, Wright and those of his school are on the job and there is no reason to swerve your allegiance because Van Vechten has no message and grinds no ax of propaganda. If you don't like his style there's no reason for reading his story.

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THE recipe for "Stella Nash" (Houghton Mifflin) is not a particularly new one. It goes something like this: vast treasure somewhere in Africa; a buried city; perils galore and as many escapes, a girl and a hero and final triumph.

But this book, in spite of some standardization of plot, is greatly aided by the author's knowledge of Africa. It is written under the nom de plume of "Ganpat"—otherwise M. L. A. Gompertz—is able to lift a great deal of local color from his rich African experiences and thus give his background a sense of reality.

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RATHER belatedly, the attention of Book Survey is called to Edith Wharton's four short novels grouped under the head of "Old New York" (Appleton). These four stories—"False Dawn," "The Old Maid," "The Spark" and "New Year's Day"—are more than a chronicle of early America. They contain some of the most exquisite satire ever penned. The surveyor who considered these books reports that "The Old Maid" is a finer bit of writing than Willa Cather's "A Lost Lady" or Zona Gale's "Faint Perfume."

YOUR HEALTH

REGULARITY IN LIVING IS THE ROAD TO HEALTH

By Royal S. Copeland, M.D.

In March, 1692, John Locke gave to the world his treatise, "Thoughts Concerning Education."

Every parent and in fact every person should read this able work from Locke's pen.

It is particularly interesting that over two hundred years ago Locke believed that without health one has less than nothing.

I want you to know the opening lines of the treatise. Here they are:

"A sound mind, in a sound body, is a short but full description of a happy state in this world. He that has these two has little more to wish for, and he that wants either of them will be but little the better for anything else."

What better ambition could one have than to measure up to this?

To qoute just a little more from Locke will give you a fair conception of this man's appreciation of the greatest essential of a successful life:

"The consideration I shall here have of health, shall be, not what a physician ought to do with a sick and crazy child; but what the parents without the help of physick, should do for the preservation and improvement of an healthy, or at least not sickly constitution in their children."

With this idea in mind Locke goes on to outline the rules which he believed are essential to good health without which education and a happy life are impossible.

Common sense in the matter of clothing suitable to the season, bathing, care of the feet, fresh air and sunshine, allowing the sun to strike the body, swimming, regularity of the bowel movements, recreation, study and the right kind of food at the right time, are some of the many things that have such a direct bearing on health and which this great philosopher has dealt with so ably.

Children are easily trained if started early in life. Little babies recognize the footsteps of their parents and will set up a cry when they hear them approach. If you pick the child up at once you will have to do it every time you go near the crib.

So it is with the habits of life.

Teach your child to eat regularly, to go to the bathroom at a regular time each day, to sleep and to play at certain times.

If you will follow such a simple routine you will be amply repaid by the good health and good nature of your children.

To be sure, there are always times when leniency in the daily routine is necessary. Then, too, there will be times when you will have to consult your friend, the doctor. But he will not want you to break the regularity of living, only in so far as the child's condition demands.

If you and I will only remember these phrases of Locke's, and will put his thoughts into practice, we will do much to improve our habits, and so our health and happiness.

SEAPLANES BEING BUILT FOR DEFENCE OF BRITISH COASTS

London, Aug. 27.—Great Britain's coastline in the near future will be patrolled and guarded by powerful seaplanes, now under construction for the navy. Each will carry a pilot, navigator, two machine gunners and a torpedo for launching at hostile surface craft.

Still more powerful planes are being built to make longer flights seaward and these will carry five men each.

Many Canadians Return From U.S.

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—A pronounced return movement of Canadians from the United States is indicated in immigration figures made public here. During the four months of April, May, June and July of the present year a total of 18,870 Canadians returned to Canada from the United States. Of this total 16,166 were Canadian-born citizens, 1,646 were British subjects who had acquired citizen domicile, and 1,058 were classes generally known as "Canadian citizens."

Immigration for the four months showed an increase of seventeen per cent over the same period last year. The total number of immigrants entering Canada from all sources during April, May, June and July, was 64,023 as compared with 54,912 during the same months of 1923. Of this total, 33,248 came from the British Isles, 7,005 from the United States and 23,770 from "other countries."

Vancouver Races

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Pete Clarke's Bookworm won a thrilling victory in the fourth race at Lansdowne Park yesterday afternoon. At the close of the mile and seventy yards Bookworm was only a nose ahead of Bon Box. Caamona, after being well in the rear in the early running, came third, with Pembroke, the favorite, unplaced.

Bookworm paid $37.10 for $2 tickets on the nose, $36.95 for place and $19.50 to show.

First race, five furlongs—Herold's Pride, won, $7.20, $2.70, $2.05; Pinehurst, second, $2.60, $2.05; James B. Brown, third, $2.05. Time, 1.01 4-5.

Second race, four furlongs—Red Easter, won, $24.45, $19.50, $7.20; Marquesito, second, $59.15, $15.20; Miss Flint, third, $4.20. Time, 48 3-5.

Third race, five and half furlongs—Vanloo, won, $11.55, $3.85, $2.40; Honey Dear, second, $3.20, $2.50; York Road, third, $3.25. Time, 1.08.

Fourth race, one mile and seventy yards—Bookworm, won, $37.10, $36.95, $19.50; Bon Box, second, $5.85, $4.35; Caamano, third, $6.50. Time, 1.46 4-5.

Fifth race, six furlongs—Lamsted, won, $18.30, $6.20, $3.85; Mess Kit, second, $3.40, $2.75; Ukase, third, $3.15. Time, 1.18.

Sixth race, six furlongs and fifty-five yards—Miriam Wood, won, $19.05, $11.05, $6.90; Canny Lady, second, $8.55, $5; Dowry, third, $5.20. Time, 1.18 2-5.

Seventh race, one mile and seventy yards—Aleso, won, $8, $4.60, $3.65; Leta, second, $8.15, $5.40; Bigger Still, third, $6.35. Time, 1.47 2-5.

Book Review

By Prof. W. T. Allison

LITERARY NOTES

Stephen Leacock, most industrious of Canadian writers, has another book ready, "The Garden of Folly.' As the title implies, it will be a volume of satirical sketches. It is a picture of the world we live in as seen by the Leacock camera.

A group of English writers have been thinking imperially of late and the result is a large volume, "The British Empire," in which the resources, politics, art and literature of the Commonwealths which make up the British household are surveyed. Copies of this ambitious work have been accepted by His Majesty King George V. and H.R.H. the Prince of Wales. "The British Empire" is edited by Sir Harry Johnston and Dr. L. Haden Guest. It contains 500 photographs.

Here is a news item which ought to please a multitude of Canadian readers. John Buchan has written a new story, "The Three Hostages,' in which Dick Hannay of "Greenmantle" fame grapples with more exciting adventures on the continent. Col. Buchan is one of the best story-tellers of our day.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudyard Kipling have announced the approaching marriage of their daughter Elsie to Captain George Bainbridge of the British Embassy at Madrid.

Although by his writings Tolstoy did much to aid and abet revolutionary sentiment in Russia, the Soviet rulers do not seem to venerate his memory. In fact the Lenin Club of Moscow has condemned "Anne Karenine," "Resurrection" and other volumes as propagating bourgeois ideas. These books, as many at least as can be raked together, will be reduced to pulp, which will in turn be used to print writings by Zinovieff, Lenin and Boukharine.

Romantic indeed is the gift which has been received by the Rabbinical Seminary of Cincinnati. There has been forwarded to this institution fifty-nine Hebrew manuscripts found by English Protestant missionaries in Kaifingfon, China. They tell the story of a Jewish colony which flourished during the Ming dynasty.

In "Spunyarn," Sir Henry Woods, sometime Admiral and Pasha in Turkey, relates his reminiscences in the service of Abdul Hamid. According to his story, Abdul the Damned did not deserve the execration showered upon him in England. Sir Henry says he was a statesman with great personal charm. No coward, no hater of Christians, a man without religious prejudice, some of whose trusted officials were Armenians, he was "a fine diplomat" and "a most adroit handler of individuals." "He was very fond of detective stories, and particularly liked those of Sir Conan Doyle. He had them all translated for him, and when, some years ago, the creator of Sherlock Holmes paid a visit to Turkey with his wife, and accompanied me to the Selamlik, he decorated him with a high award of the Order of the Mejidieh."

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Striped Dimity Blouses
With Peter Pan collars and long sleeves, others with roll collars and short sleeves. All finished with dainty lace, embroidery and contrasting colored stitching, in overblouse and tuck-in style. Sizes 36 to 46.
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—Second Floor

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Wool Cardigans
Made from medium weight wool with long sleeves, patch pockets and four button fastening; choice of plain, fancy and dropstitch weaves with plain backs and checked fronts in contrasting colors. Also pullover sweaters of fine quality wool with long sleeves, round neck, neatly bound and fastens with two pearl buttons. Come in sea green, white, peach, black; sizes 36 to 42.
Sale Price $1.98

Sleeveless Cardigans
Fibre Silk Cardigans in plain and fancy weaves, with patch pockets and four button fastening. Shown in shades of Paddy, grey and mauve, sand and Paddy, Saxe and white, rose, brown and fawn, canary and navy.
Sale Price..... $2.98
—Second Floor

Boys' School Clothing

At Month-end Prices

Big Boys' Bloomer Pant Suits, $4.95
Made from good wearing tweeds in sizes 34 and 36 only. Plain back models with all around belt. Full cut bloomers with Governor fasteners. Well made and wonderful value.
Sale Price $4.95

Grey Flannel Straight Pant Suits, $5.35
English made Flannel Suits in a serviceable grey shade. Made in smart sports model with half belt and patch pockets, straight pants; sizes to fit boys 7 to 12 years; values to $6.50. Sale Price $5.35

Odd Bloomer Pants, Values to $2.75 for $1.95
Bloomer Pants in brown and grey tweeds, full lined and finished with Governor fasteners. Well made bloomers suitable for school wear; sizes to fit boys 7 to 16 years; values to $2.75. Sale Price, per pair $1.95

English Made Tennis Shirts
Plain white mat and colored stripe Ceylonette Tennis Shirts with collar attached, well made in every way; sizes to fit boys 4 to 10 years; regular $1.25.
Sale Price ..... 89¢

Tobacco Specials

Little Pearl Cigars, 25c value for ..... 15¢
Reo Smoking Mixture, 70c value for ..... 63¢
Oxford Smoking Mixture.. 15¢ 2 for ..... 23¢
Casino Tobacco, 75c value, 63¢
De Riske Cigarettes, 35c value for ..... 23¢
British Consuls Cigarettes, tins of 50 for ..... 60¢

Month-end Savings in Drug Sundries

Listerine, medium size, 50c value for ..... 39¢
Cuticura Ointment, 35c value for ..... 23¢
Seidlitz Powders, 25c value 16¢
Liquid Petrolatum, 85c value for ..... 63¢
Luxor Creams, 75c value for 61¢
Odorono, 35c value..... 26¢
Tooth Brushes (French), 50c value ..... 36¢
Winsome Dental Cream, 25c value ..... 18¢
Lilac Lotion After Shave, $1.00 value ..... 78¢
Hat Dyes..... 25% Off
Best French Olive Oil, 85c value for ..... 67¢
Blades for all Makes of Safety Razors

Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts

Many at Half Regular Prices and Less

Mannish Tailored Suits, Values to $45.00 for $22.50
10 Only of these Smart Suits in suitable weight for Fall wear. Smartly tailored in the popular mannish style, short and medium length coats, some bound with braid. They are made from extra fine English suitings in navy, grey and mixed shades, coats lined with good silk. Smart wrap-around skirts; sizes 16 to 40; values to $45.00. Sale Price..... $22.50

Silk and Wool Knitted Suits, Values to $12.95 for $4.98
In pullover style with silk overcheck in contrasting shade; in colors of navy and white, orange and white, grey and white, mauve and white, etc. Made from all wool yarn; sizes 16 to 20. Sale Price $4.98

Stylish Wrap Coats, Values to $45.00 for $24.95
These Coats of all-wool material are suitable for early Fall wear and are all late models. Wrap-over and single button fastening, crushable collars and large cuffs. Handsomely trimmed with embroidery, stitching and pin tucks, in gaberdine, tricotine, and peach bloom in shades of navy, brown also black; lined throughout with good silk; sizes 36 to 42.
Sale Price $24.95

Flannel Sports Skirts, $3.98
In popular pleated styles on bodice, made from all-wool flannel in shades of grey, lime, henna, Copen; sizes 16 to 42.
Sale Price $3.98

Wash Dresses, Values to $10.00 for $4.98
Offering a choice assortment of newest styles, in basket weave, drawn thread and plain ratines, also in fine voile with embroidered panels, side flounces, etc.; shown in plain and combination colorings of peach, orange, blue, rose, mauve, and many others; sizes 16 to 42.
Sale Price $4.98

Wash Dresses, Values to $8.95 for $2.98
Another group of wash dresses in chambray, metallic spot voile, ratine and crepe; Low waisted styles with narrow belts, trimmed with drawn work, organdie, etc. Suitable for porch, beach or house wear; sizes to 40; values to $8.95.
Sale Price $2.98
—Second Floor

Savings in Children's Wear

Gingham Dresses
In checks and plain material, a nice assortment of pretty styles in colors of blue, pink, red, brown and helio; sizes 6 to 12 years. Sale Price 79c

Khaki Middies
Trimmed with red silk braid, regulation style; values to $2.35. Sale Price $1.98

Khaki Overalls
Bib style, wide bloomers; sizes 4, 6, 14 and 16 years only; values to $1.79. Sale Price $1.29

Hats and Bonnets
In organdie, silk and pique, a splendid assortment to choose from; sizes 3 months to 3 years; values to $1.25. Sale Price 69c
Values to $2.25. Sale Price ..... 98¢

Wash Dresses
The newest styles, some with bloomers to match, in checks or plain material, trimmed with checks; come in colors of yellow, helio, red, pink, blue and tan; sizes 8 to 16 years.
Values to $2.75. Sale Price $1.98
Values to $3.95. Sale Price $2.98
Values to $5.25. Sale Price $3.98

White Voile Dresses
In all-over embroidery or plain voile, trimmed with lace and satin ribbons, all smart styles; sizes 6 to 12 years; values to $4.75. Sale Price $2.98
Values to $8.75. Sale Price $4.98

Bloomers and Drawers
In fine cotton knit, broken sizes; values to 65c. Sale Price ..... 23¢

Cotton Knit Combinations
With shoulder straps and short sleeves, tight knee and closed crotch; sizes 4 to 14 years; values to $1.25. Sale Price .. 69¢

Vests
Of fine cotton lisle, with short sleeves; sizes 6 to 16 years; values to 95c. Sale Price 49¢

Rompers and Dresses
In chambray and fine prints. Rompers in Dutch style, dresses with round necks and short sleeves; sizes 2 to 6 years. Come in blue, pink, yellow and tan; values to $1.00.
Sale Price ..... 79¢
Children's Dresses, Sweaters, Vests, Play Suits Hats, etc. Thursday at Half Price.
—Second Floor

School Supplies

Keep This List for Reference

Exercise Books and Scribblers, each ..... 5¢
6 for ..... 25¢
Exercise Books and Scribblers, each ..... 10¢
3 for ..... 25¢
Note Books, each, 5¢ and.... 10¢
Drawing Books, each, 15¢ and 25¢
Drawing Pads, each ..... 10¢
Map Drawing Books, each .... 10¢
Elementary Composition Book with Grammar, each ..... 65¢
Public School Spellers, each, 55¢
History of England, each..... 75¢
Cornish's Geographies, each $1.15
Cornish's Atlas, each $1.15
Dominion High School Arithmetic, each $1.00
Scott's "Lay of the Last Minstrel," each ..... 35¢
Canadian Poetry Book, each... 35¢
Treasure Island, each ..... 75¢
Scott's "Ivanhoe," each ..... 95¢
School Compasses, each..... 25¢
Pencils, each ..... 5¢
6 for ..... 25¢
Pencils, each ..... 10¢
3 for ..... 25¢
Pencil Sharpeners, each, 5¢ and ..... 10¢
Ink, per bottle ..... 10¢
3 for ..... 25¢
Waterman's Ink, per bottle .. 15¢
2 for ..... 25¢
Eversharp Pencils, from.... $1.00
Penholders, each, 5¢ and.... 10¢
Fountain Pens, each, 39¢ and 50¢
Hudson's Bay Special Fountain Pens for girls or boys, each, ... $1.25
Erasers, each 5¢ and ..... 10¢
Erasers, 2 for ..... 5¢
Slate Pencils, box ..... 5¢
Slates, each, 15¢ and ..... 25¢
School Bags, each, 69¢, 75¢, 85¢ and $1.00
Mapping Pens, with extra nibs, per set ..... 35¢
White Paste, per bottle ..... 15¢
Rulers, each ..... 10¢
Set Squares, per pair..... 20¢
Protractors, each, 5¢ and.... 10¢
School Paints, per box..... 45¢
Typewriting Second Sheets, 500 in a packet ..... 65¢
—Main Floor
Loose Leaf Binders, each.. $1.25

OUR AUGUST SALE OF

FURS

Ends On Saturday

A deposit will secure the garment of your choice at the sale price for later delivery.

You may select from several attractive models in grey squirrel, Persian lamb, real sealskin, beaver, Hudson seal, etc., all at generous reductions.

Grey Squirrel Coat
Full length, regular $800.00. Sale Price $720.00

Sealskin Coat
Regular $875.00. Sale Price $787.00

Persian Lamb Coat
Regular $650.00. Sale Price $590.00

Hudson Seal Coat
Extra fine quality, Canadian mink collar and cuffs; regular $600.00. Sale Price $499.00

Plucked Beaver Coat
Regular $450.00. Sale Price $399.00

Muskrat Coats
Sale Prices, $149.50, $180.00 and $202.50

French Seal Coats
Sale Prices $135.00, $149.50 and $180.00

Marmot Coats
Sale Price, $100.00 and $149.50

Beaverine Coats
Sale Price $100.00

Caracul Jacquettes
Sale Price $100.00
—Second Floor

FINAL CLEARANCE OF

Wash Fabrics

Values to $1.95 for 69c a Yard

All high grade fabrics and wonderful value at this price. Choose from novelty French crepes in stripes and plaids; printed crepes in two-tone effects, novelty voiles in fast colors, embroidered Swiss voiles in charming color combinations; values to $1.95. Month-end Sale Price, per yard
69c
—Main Floor

CLEARING ODD LINES IN

SILKS

At Greatly Reduced Prices

Printed Satins
36 inches wide, regular $2.50. Sale Price, per yard $1.69

Silk Crepe Knit
In Saxe, grey, brown, sand and black, 36 inches wide. Reg. $3.50. Sale Price, per yard $2.98

Duchesse Satins
In shades of Saxe, cherry, brown, rose, pink, royal and cerise; 36" inches wide; regular $2.50. Sale Price, per yard $1.98

Printed Silk Crepes
In many charming color combinations, 36 inches wide. Regular $1.95. Sale Price, per yard $1.49

Printed Marocain Crepes
38 inches wide; regular $3.95. Sale Price, per yard $1.98

Pure Silk Crepe de Chine
In shades of turquoise, grey, maize, flame, Pekin, Saxe, rose, brown and tan; 40 inches wide; regular $1.95. Sale Price, per yard $1.59
—Main Floor

50 Cotton-filled Comforters To Clear at $1.98 Each

Covered is silkoline in floral designs and filled with fine cotton; size 60 x 72 inches.
Sale Price $1.98

Snow White Crochet Bedspreads at Month-end Prices

Snow White Bedspreads
Made from doubled cotton yarns ensuring good wear.
Size 81x90. Price $2.98
Size 86x96. Price $3.49
Size 90x96. Price $3.98
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Household Hardware Greatly Underpriced

English Galvanized Pails
Sizes 11, 12 and 13, in flaring shape, values to 80c. Sale Price 49c
Size No. 16 Dufferin Pails and No. 14 Flaring Pails, values to 85c. Sale Price 59c

Enamel Tea and Coffee Pots
Tea and Coffee Pots, with straight sides, usually sold at $1.50. Sale Price 89c

Enamel Covered Pails
Eight-quart covered Pails with bail handles; regular values to $1.60. Sale Price 89c

Enamel Range Kettles
Quick boiling kettles with extended bottoms, usually sold at $1.25. Sale Price 89c

Char Mops
An all-wool Mop treated with O-Cedar oil, full length handle. Sale Price 89c

Smith Burners
An excellent device for boiling the kettle in the morning, will boil a quart of water in six minutes. Wonderful value at, each 89c
—Lower Main Floor

Clearing Remnants of Linoleum, Feltol and Floor Oilcloth

Short lengths only, enough in a piece to cover a small room, pantry or bathroom.
Remnants of Oilcloth and Feltol, values to 65c. Sale Price, per sq. yard ..... 35¢
Remnants of Linoleum, values to $1.25. Sale Price, per sq. yard ..... 65¢
Remnants of Inlaid Linoleum, values to $2.35. Sale Price, per sq. yard $1.25
—Third Floor

Bedroom Furniture At August Sale Prices

Genuine Walnut Dressing Table
Three-mirror style; with two drawers; regular $68.00. Sale Price $49.75

Genuine Walnut Dressing Table
Three-mirror style, in Louis XVI. design; regular $42.50. Sale Price $28.50

Golden Oak Washstand
With two doors and one drawer, well made; regular $19.00. Sale Price ... $14.50

Vanity Dressing Table
In walnut finish, with three long mirrors, two drawers at either side and turned legs; regular $65.00. Sale Price $55.00

Mahogany Finished Dresser
In Queen Anne design, beautifully finished; regular $72.00. Sale Price ... $55.00

2 Only Solid Walnut Vanity Dressing Tables
With swinging centre mirror. Sale Price $55.00

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OLD WHALER MAKES HER FINAL VOYAGE

Cuttyhunk, Mass., Aug. 27.—The missing men from the whaling barque Wanderer, torn away from companions in another boat when their vessel was wrecked in Vineyard Sound last night, were brought ashore here to-day by coastguards. The eight men spent the night on a lightship. The Wanderer, last of New Bedford's square riggers, is a wreck on the rocks of Middleground Shoal.

The mast of the old whaler stood through the night, but her hull was wrecked by seas.

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SAN FRANCISCO SHIPPING

San Francisco, Aug. 27—Two vessels of the Matson Steamship Company arriving here yesterday from the Hawaiian Islands brought in nearly 200,000 bags of raw sugar besides other general cargo. The Matsonia had a large passenger list and 79,427 bags of sugar, while the Mauna Ala carried 119,000 bags of sugar.

The Ventura of the Oceanic Steamship Company left here yesterday for Sydney, via Honolulu, with a large passenger list and general cargo.

The new Electra line steamer Cuba sailed from here yesterday for Portland with nearly 200 passengers.

MAKURA LEAVING

The Canadian-Australian liner Makura will sail from Vancouver at noon to-day for the Antipodes. She will arrive here late in the afternoon, probably shortly before 6 o'clock. She has an excellent passenger list for the South, including 111 for Honolulu alone, according to their agents here.

F. A. GOWEN'S QUITTING SALE

At the Fashion Craft Shop
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Starts Friday Morning at 9 a.m.

The Entire $40,000 Stock
Being Sold at

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500 Suits and Overcoats

Made By Fashion Craft and English Firms

The Greater Portion of the Clothing Made for This and The Fall Season Selling

NOTE—The Clothing Stock Contains a Large Number of Small and Medium Size Suits—Just the Correct Thing For Students and High School Boys—Latest Models. 350 Suits and Overcoats Just Opened and Put in Stock Fresh From the Makers. All Will be Sold at Manufacturers' Cost and in Many Cases Far Less. They Accept the Loss Rather Than Have the Goods Returned Owing to Our Closing.

PRICES IN THURSDAY'S PAPERS
Will Astonish You—It Will Pay to Wait

PATRICIAN AWAITS ORDERS TO AID LADY KINDERSLEY PACKED IN NORTHERN ICE

Destroyer Standing by Off Esquimalt Momentarily Expecting Word From Ottawa; Postponed Cruise When Danger Threatened Arctic Party.

Cancellation of the training cruise of H.M.C.S. Patrician and the holding of the naval craft here in readiness to proceed at a moment's notice to aid the distressed ship in Arctic waters, are the latest development in connection with the isolation of the Hudson's Bay auxiliary schooner Lady Kindersley, which is icebound about forty miles from Point Barrow.

Word is awaited by the naval authorities here from Ottawa and if the plan is sanctioned the Patrician will be dispatched immediately to assist the Kindersley and her crew.

The Patrician was scheduled to leave on her regular training cruise up the coast on August 19. In view of the latest developments the naval authorities are keeping the vessel in local waters and she is at present engaged in shore practice off Esquimalt.

CONDITION OF KINDERSLY

The latest report from the Lady Kindersley, which lies stranded in the slowly moving ice field, says that the crew are momentarily safe but their danger would be great should the ice pack suddenly be stopped in its steady movement. Pressure would crush the staunch timbers of the craft as though she were matchwood.

Pending orders from Ottawa the Patrician is holding herself in readiness to journey northwards. Her speed will take her to the scene of danger in a comparatively short space of time. But the Kindersley's position is almost hopeless, so far as the safety of the ship is concerned and no relief can be afforded her by any ship. She is liable, at any moment, to be nipped and crushed, her cargo destroyed and her crew made homeless and without shelter, to wander over the endless fields of ice broken with black, death-dealing water over which it is impossible to pass. But the men, experienced in northern countries, would in all probability suffer only discomfort until such time as relief arrived. On the other hand all may perish with the ship.

Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—Local authorities disclaim all knowledge of a radio message which, according to a Washington dispatch, was received from Winnipeg to-day by the United States army signal corps asking assistance for the Hudson's Bay Company's supply vessel Lady Kindersley, which was reported to be in danger of sinking in the Arctic Ocean with her crew of fifteen men.

It is believed here some confusion has arisen over a telegraphic request emanating from Winnipeg for the co-operation of the United States Government stations in locating and assisting the icebound motor schooner.

Loads Shingles and Now Goes For Paper

Ss. Eldorado to Complete Cargo at Powell River

The freighter Ss. Eldorado, which left here yesterday after loading several hundred tons of cargo, will dock at Powell River and take on the remainder of her consignment in paper from the mills at that point The paper cargo will amount to approximately 500 tons, it was stated here this morning, although the exact figures were not obtainable.

The Eldorado has been loading for some time at Sound points.

The ship cleared last night.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS

Steamer	Master	Ton.	Agent	From	Due
Empress of Australia	Hailey	——	C.P.R.	Yokohama	Sept. 3
Makura	Showman	——	C.P.R.	Australia	Aug. 27
Manila Maru		9,518	Rithets	Yokohama	Sept. 7
Empress of Asia	Douglas	——	C.P.R.	Yokohama	
President Jefferson	Griffith	14,174	Admiral Line	Yokohama	Sept. 7
Shidzuoka Maru	——	6,268	Gt. Northern	Yokohama	Sept. 8
Shidzuoka Maru	K. Date	5,977	Gt. Northern	Yokohama	Aug. 28
Protesilaus	——	9,547	Blue Funnel	Yokohama	Sept. 14
Yokohama Maru	——	6,147	Gt. Northern	Yokohama	Sept. 27

DEEP SEA DEPARTURES

Steamer	Master	Ton.	Agent	For	Sail
Iyo Maru	Horinchi	5,937	Gt. Northern	Yokohama	Aug. 27
President McKinley		——	Admiral Line	Yokohama	Aug. 24
Empress of Australia	Hailey	——	C.P.R.	Yokohama	Sept. 11
Shidzouka Maru	——	6,268	Gt. Northern	Yokohama	Sept. 21
Manila Maru	——	9,518	Rithets	Yokohama	Sept. 25
Africa Maru	——	——	Rithets	Yokohama	Oct. 11
Arizona Maru	——	——	Rithets	Yokohama	Oct. 24

TIDE TABLE

August

Date	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h. m.	Ht ft.	Time h. m.	Ht ft.	Time h. m.	Ht ft.
1 ..	1.10	8.2	9.35	1.5	17.34	7.3	21.48	7.0
2 ..	1.49	8.1	10.12	1.7	17.53	7.3	22.34	6.6
3 ..	2.31	7.7	10.50	2.1	18.16	7.4	23.24	6.2
4 ..	3.24	7.3	11.29	2.7	18.43	7.5	....	..
5 ..	0.22	5.7	4.36	6.8	12.07	3.4	19.14	7.6
6 ..	1.27	5.1	6.28	6.3	12.43	4.2	19.46	7.8
7 ..	2.31	4.3	8.16	5.9	13.14	5.0	20.18	8.1
8 ..	3.29	3.6	10.02	5.9	13.41	5.7	20.51	8.4
9 ..	4.25	2.8	....	..	....	..	21.26	8.7
10 ..	5.20	2.2	....	..	....	..	22.08	8.9
11 ..	6.13	1.7	....	..	....	..	22.57	8.9
12 ..	7.04	1.3	16.40	7.4	18.40	7.3	23.51	8.9
13 ..	7.51	1.2	16.53	7.5	19.44	7.0	....	..
14 ..	0.46	8.8	8.35	1.2	16.54	7.4	20.42	6.7
15 ..	1.40	8.5	9.16	1.5	16.46	7.5	21.38	6.2
16 ..	2.33	8.1	9.56	2.1	17.11	7.6	22.33	5.7
17 ..	3.30	7.6	10.37	2.8	17.40	7.7	23.27	5.3
18 ..	4.24	7.0	11.18	3.6	18.11	7.7	....	..
19 ..	0.22	4.9	5.45	6.5	11.58	4.4	18.44	7.8
20 ..	1.20	4.5	7.14	6.2	12.38	5.2	19.19	7.9
21 ..	2.21	4.1	9.10	6.0	13.19	5.9	19.58	7.9
22 ..	3.20	3.8	....	..	....	..	20.43	7.8
23 ..	4.14	3.5	....	..	....	..	21.31	7.7
24 ..	5.05	3.2	....	..	....	..	22.17	7.4
25 ..	5.54	3.0	....	..	....	..	23.02	7.7
26 ..	6.40	2.7	16.23	7.4	18.36	7.3	23.44	7.8
27 ..	7.20	2.4	16.50	7.4	19.33	7.1	....	..
28 ..	0.22	7.8	7.56	2.2	16.46	7.2	20.14	6.7
29 ..	0.59	7.8	8.31	2.2	15.41	7.2	20.49	6.3
30 ..	1.27	7.8	9.07	2.3	15.56	7.2	21.23	5.7
31 ..	2.22	7.8	9.44	2.7	16.20	7.3	22.05	5.2

The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

Esquimalt.—To find the depth of water on the sill of the dry dock at any tide, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of August, 1924:

Day	Sunrise Hour	Sunrise Min.	Sunset Hour	Sunset Min.
1	4	48	7	50
2	4	49	7	48
3	4	51	7	47
4	4	52	7	45
5	4	54	7	44
6	4	55	7	42
7	4	56	7	41
8	4	58	7	46
9	4	59	7	38
10	5	01	7	37
11	5	02	7	35
12	5	03	7	35
13	5	05	7	33
14	5	06	7	30
15	5	07	7	28
16	5	09	7	26
17	5	10	7	24
18	5	11	7	22
19	5	12	7	21
20	5	13	7	19
21	5	15	7	18
22	5	16	7	16
23	5	18	7	14
24	5	19	7	13
25	5	21	7	10
26	5	22	7	08
27	5	24	7	06
28	5	25	7	04
29	5	26	7	03
30	5	28	7	00
31	5	29	6	58

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

August, 1924

China and Japan

Achilles—Mails close Aug. 7, 8.30 a.m.; due at Yokohama Aug. 21.

President Madison—Mails close Aug. 12, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Aug. 24.

Empress of Canada—Mails close Aug. 14, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Aug. 25, Shanghai Aug. 29, Hongkong Sept. 1.

Arabia Maru—Mails close Aug. 17, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Sept. 1.

President McKinley—Mails close Aug. 24, 4 p.m.; due at Yokonama Sept. 5, Shanghai Sept. 10, Hongkong Sept. 14.

Empress of Russia—Mails close Aug. 28, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Sept. 8, Shanghai Sept. 12, Hongkong Sept. 15.

Alabama Maru—Mails close Aug. 30, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Sept. 14.

President Jackson—Mails close Sept. 8, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Sept. 17, Shanghai Sept. 22, Hongkong Sept. 26.

Australia and New Zealand

Maunganui (via San Francisco)—Mails close Aug. 10, 4 p.m.; due Wellington Sept. 1, due Sydney Sept. 6.

Ventura (via San Francisco)—Mails close Aug. 23, 4 p.m.; due Sydney Sept. 16.

Makura (direct)—Mails close Aug. 27, 4 p.m.; due Auckland Sept. 15, due Sydney Sept. 20.

C. G. M. M. SHIP MOVEMENTS LISTED

Canadian Freighter to arrive Vancouver from United Kingdom October 26.

Canadian Planter to arrive Vancouver October 25 from Australian ports.

Canadian Prospector to arrive Vancouver September 17.

Canadian Scottish to arrive Vancouver August 21.

Canadian Skirmisher left Liverpool and due to arrive Vancouver August 30.

Canadian Transporter, from Avonmouth to Vancouver, arrives September 25.

Canadian Winner left for Halifax, Montreal and Quebec, arrives at Vancouver October 16.

Canadian Coaster left Montreal for Vancouver, via Sydney and Sabine, August 9; arrive Vancouver October 16.

Canadian Rover at Ocean Falls; to arrive Vancouver August 28.

Canadian Trooper left Vancouver August 11, arrive Prince Rupert August 21.

The Canadian Volunteer is due in Victoria on August 20.

The Canadian Highlander left here for the United Kingdom on August 14.

SHIPS AT A GLANCE

Ss. Empress of Asia sailed from Manila August 21 for Victoria and Vancouver.

Ss. President Jefferson sailed from Shanghai for Victoria and Seattle August 22.

Ss. Empress of Australia sailed from Kobe for Victoria and Vancouver August 20.

Bringing British Craft to Compete Against American

Cunard Steamers Carry Prominent Passengers to and From Old Land

The Cunard liner Aquitania arrived at New York on August 22, with the six metre yachts Echo, Zenith, Betty and Thistle from England which will compete with American craft for the British-American cup off Oyster Bay, Long Island, on September 6, a message from New York states.

Lady Baird and Sir Thomas Glen-Coates, both of whom own one of these craft, have arrived with them. The meet is to be held under the auspices of the Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club.

The British American cup is in competition for the fourth year and the record stands at two victories for the British boats and one for the American.

The Scythia, sailing outbound from the United States, carries distinguished passengers to the Old Country, including Sir John Bland-Sutton, president of the Royal Academy of Surgeons, London, who is accompanied by Lady Bland-Sutton. Other passengers include the distinguished novelist Robert J. Horton, F. J. Selby of the British Ministry of Agriculture, and many others.

DREDGE WEATHERS STORM THUS FAR

Crew Stayed With Vessel Through Terrible Storm But Are Safe

Atlantic City, N.J., Aug. 27.—Three tugs at high water this morning succeeded in starting the giant federal dredge Orozal, aground on the south bar at the mouth of the inlet here, from the grip of the shoal and dragged her to the edge of the channel. But her own length separated her from deep water. So close does she now lie to the channel that the crew of the tugs can step from her deck to the tugs with the aid of a plank.

Although the dredge was subjected to terrific assault by mountainous seas yesterday for hours, the crew would not leave her and no leakage has resulted.

Another effort will be made at high water to float her.

SEATTLE SHIPPING

Seattle, Aug 27. — Steel products from Baltimore composed the major portion of a cargo carried by the Ismithian Steel Trader which arrived here yesterday.

In the service of Swayne & Hoyt, the steamship Point Lobos, operating in the Pacific, Caribbean and Gulf line of the company, arrived yesterday.

A large list of passengers and a heavy cargo were carried aboard the coastwise steamship H. F. Alexander when she left here yesterday for California ports.

On her first voyage since being launched, the British motorship Lochmonar arrived yesterday in the joint north European service of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company and the Holland-America line.

In the service of the Admiral line to Alaskan ports, the steamship Admiral Watson departed yesterday for Southwestern Alaska ports.

First warning of the coming of Winter in the Yukon River district Alaska, was contained in a White Pass and Yukon route announcement issued yesterday. The company declared the steamships Alameda, of the Alaska Steamship Company, sailing September 2, and Queen, of the Pacific Steamship Company, sailing September 3, would be the last vessels from Seattle this year on which freight would connect with river boats plying to points on the Yukon below Dawson.

A. F. Zipf, Pacific Coast manager of the Williams Steamship Company, arrived yesterday from San Francisco headquarters en route to a vacation trip to Hood Canal or the San Juan Islands.

The United States coast guard cutter Bear, returning crippled by ice in an attempt to penetrate the Arctic Ocean for her thirty-eighth annual cruise to the North was yesterday 200 miles from San Francisco, traveling 190 miles a day, mostly by aid of sails, and will omit calling at Seattle, coast guard headquarters here stated.

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TO SEARCH FOR OVERDUE VESSEL IN NORTHERN SEA

Fear Felt at Seattle For Safety of Motor Schooner Maid of Orleans

Seattle, Aug. 27—Plans were set afoot here to-day to have the Ruby, a schooner with auxiliary gasoline power, seek for the Maid of Orleans, a vessel of the same type which left here June 25 for Coronation Gulf, midway of the Arctic Coast of North America, via Nome, Alaska.

It was feared the Maid of Orleans had been added to a list of vessels caught by ice in the Arctic Ocean. Capt. Louie Knaflich of this city, owner of the Ruby, was one of a syndicate that yesterday made tenders to the Canadian Government for the rescue of the crew of twenty of the Lady Kindersley; a gasoline schooner of Vancouver, B. C., drifting north in the ice and at last reports about sixty miles from Point Barrow, Alaska.

The cutter Bear of the United States coastguard, turned back by ice on her thirty-eighth annual attempt to cruise the Arctic, was today reported approaching San Francisco. The crew of the gasoline schooner Arctic of San Francisco was believed to be nearing Point Barrow, the cargo of that fur trading vessel having been given up for lost, when she was crushed by ice in the Point Barrow region.

The gasoline boat Herman, which left Nome Saturday with a party of hunters headed by Sydney Snow of San Francisco, was to proceed to Wrangell Island to take off a colony of thirteen persons left there by Harold Noice a year ago. Early in the Summer a visit to this colony was projected for three vessels, the schooner Silver Wave of Nome, which plies north through Bering Strait into Kotzebue Sound, the Bear and the Herman. Ice has kept all three of these boats away from the vicinity of the island, which is north of Siberia.

PREMIER TO FIGHT AT OTTAWA ALONE

Premier Oliver announced to-day that he will leave for Ottawa about September 10 to continue British Columbia's rail rates fight before the Board of Railway Commissioners which will meet on September 17.

The Premier said he would represent the Province personally at this meeting, and that he had no intention of taking any counsel with him. At the last fight before the Railway Board G. G. McGeer, K.C., appeared along with the Premier.

Protest against conditions brought about by the operation of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement will be the burden of the Premier's new fight.

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Scythia.Sept. 20, Oct. 18 Aurania...Sept. 27
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Mauretania.....Sept. 10, Oct. 1, Oct. 22
Aquitania ..... Sept. 17, Oct. 8, Oct. 29
Berengaria.....Sept. 24, Oct. 15, Nov. 5
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OBITUARY

The funeral of the late John Gleason will be held on Friday at 3.30 from the Sands Funeral Chapel.

The death occurred in Vancouver Monday morning of Charles Wesley Came, aged 14 years. He was born at Mission Junction, B.C., and had lately resided at Marigold, Saanich. He is survived by his mother, three sisters, Mrs. B. M. West and Miss B. Came, of Marigold, and Miss Doris Came at Shawnigan Lake; also one brother, E. Came, and uncle, Mr. W. H. Came, at Marigold. The remains are resting at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Service for the late Mr. Frederick John Gorle was held yesterday afternoon at 3.30 in the chapel of the B.C. Funeral Company by Rev. Dr. Sipprell in the presence of several friends. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. A. Sullivan, S. Holdridge, D. T. Irvine and H. S. Maguire. The remains were laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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BENGAL SALARIES BILL VOTED DOWN

London, Aug. 27—A further stage of the struggle between the Swarajists or Indian home rulers, who are demanding immediate responsible government, and Lord Lytton, Governor of Bengal, is marked by news from Calcutta that the Bengal Legislative Council has again rejected by a vote of sixty-eight to sixty-six a motion to pay the salaries of the Ministers.

Calcutta, Aug. 27—A heated discussion lasting ninety minutes took place in the Legislative Council yesterday prior to the vote which resulted in the Swarajists or Indian home rulers again defeating the motion to pay the long overdue Ministers' salaries in the Bengal Presidency.

The same motion had been defeated last March.

CALLED UNCONSTITUTIONAL

The Swarajists asserted the Government's action in bringing down as a supplementary vote a sum previously rejected was unconstitutional. They again urged rejection of the motion to pay the Ministers' salaries as a protest against the Government's action in disregarding the previous vote of the Council and in retaining the Ministers in office. They also urged rejection as a vote of non-confidence in the Government. They also urged rejection of the Ministers' bill as a protest. The Swarajists did not oppose the previously rejected grants for educational and medical officers, but they opposed and the Council rejected without division the demand of 10,000 rupees for the expenses of the Empire Exhibition.

Announcement of the rejection of the salaries vote was greeted with tremendous enthusiasm by large crowds in the vicinity of the Council hall.

400,000 ADDED TO GERMAN UNEMPLOYED

But Few of Former State Employers Will be Able to Find Work

Number of Civil Servants Reduced to Balance the Budget

Berlin, Aug. 27.—Four hundred thousand of the 1,600,000 state employees have been discharged in Germany during the past few months under the law providing for a general reduction of officials to help balance the budget. It is estimated 430,000,000 gold marks will be saved for the Government. General conditions in the labor market are bad, owing to the economic depression in most branches, and it is believed improbable that many of those discharged can find work elsewhere.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

A letter from Rossland promising a suitable welcome to A. Bement, secretary of the Lincoln Highway, when he reaches that city on his journey from Winnipeg by an all-Canadian route, has been received by Mayor Hayward.

Thanks for the consideration and courtesy shown to the visiting teachers during the convention in Victoria are contained in a letter to Mayor Hayward from the secretary of the Teachers' Federation, Harry Charlesworth.

The four persons who guessed the correct distance the bicycle in Jim Bryant's display at the Provincial Fall Fair traveled in fifty-four hours have decided to divide the price of the bicycle which was offered as a prize in four instead of drawing for it.

Inquest on the remains of the late John Gleeson, whose body was taken from the waters of the inner harbor yesterday morning, will be held at the Sands funeral premises to-morrow at 11 o'clock. Dr. E. C. Hart, calender in the police court.

The flowers and other perishable products which are among the exhibits at the flower show being held by the Lake Hill Women's Institute this afternoon will be auctioned off after the close of the show at 7.30 this evening. The exhibition is being held in the Lake Hill Community Hall.

Permits for the erection of two bungalows have been taken out at the city building inspector's office in the last two days. T. Hetherington, contractor, will build for himself a five-story bungalow at 309 Linden Avenue, to cost approximately $3,000, Gustav Sivertz has taken out a permit for a $3,000 bungalow at 1431 Richardson Street.

Charges of cattle rustling in the unorganized districts, laid by the Provincial police, and illegal sale of liquor charged against an Esquimalt resident, were stood over this morning to make way for the congested

Somewhat puzzled by the small size of the box, but deeming from its red color that it was a pillar box anyway, an elderly lady pulled open the door of a fire-alarm box at Douglas and View Streets at 12.29 p.m. yesterday, to realize her mistake when three fire trucks raced up to post her letter. Alarmed at what she had done inadvertently the woman took to her heels and disappeared. The alarm caught the central headquarters station men at the lunch, and it was some minutes before they saw the point of the joke.

coroner, will preside. The late Mr. Gleeson was a well-known resident of this city, spending the Wintertime in Victoria and his Summers on prairie land in Saskatchewan. He leaves a widow, Mrs. L. Gleeson, Howe Street, Vancouver, and other relatives in the East to mourn his loss.

NEW MEMORIALS IN CITY OF WASHINGTON

Dozen Monuments to be Erected; One For Heroes of Ss. Titanic

Washington, Aug. 27.—Plans for erecting nearly a dozen new memorials in the nation's capital, already noted for its statuary, are now under way. Congressional sanction has been given for ten to be unveiled in the near future.

The statue of General San Martin, termed the "George Washington of Argentina," soon to be officially presented by the Government of his country to the United States, has arrived in Washington.

Methodists are making preparations for a memorial to Francis Asbury, one of the country's earliest ministers, which will be unveiled in October.

The nuns of the battlefields of the Civil War will have a monument to their memory here, thanks to the efforts of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

"Heroes who sacrificed their lives that women and children might be saved in the tragic catastrophe of the sinking of the steamship Titanic" will be honored in a memorial which will overlook the Potomac River. Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, who recently executed the Buffalo Bill monument, will design this monument. A figure with outstretched arms will symbolize the memory of the deed which the Women's Titanic Memorial Association seeks to perpetuate.

WAR MEMORIAL

The First Division memorial, commemorating men of the American Expeditionary Force of that fighting organization, has already been erected south of the State and War Departent Building and will be unveiled in October.

A memorial to President Buchanan is to be erected in Meridian Hill Park.

Serenity, a gift of Charles Deering of Chicago, is among Washington's future pieces of statuary.

A navy and marine memorial is in process of preparation.

A memorial to John Ericsson, inventor and constructor of the Monitor and Civil War fame, is to be raised south of the Lincoln Memorial.

The State of Pennsylvania is pushing plans to erect a memorial to the memory of Major-General George Gordon Meade, commander of the Army of the Potomac.

Prominent among proposals for monuments pending in Congress is one for commemorating the late President Theodore Roosevelt.

MRS. MORS FUNERAL IN NEW YORK TO-DAY

New York, Aug. 27.—The body of Mrs. Theresa Mors, with whose murder Kid McCoy, ex-pugilist, is charged, will be buried to-day with only a few relatives and friends attending the service. The body reached here yesterday from Los Angeles.

Knowledge of the manner in which Mrs. Mors met her death has been kept from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weinstein. They have not seen newspapers containing accounts of the tragedy, and have been told

TO EXHUME BODY OF JANET SMITH

Second Autopsy Will be Conducted; Suicide Theory Doubted

Vancouver, Aug. 27 — Janet K. Smith's body will be exhumed this afternoon. The second autopsy will be conducted Thursday morning, and the inquest on Thursday afternoon at the morgue, it was stated by Dr. W. D. Brydone-Jack, coroner, following a consultation with C. W. Craig, K. C., acting for the Attorney-General.

There will be many more witnesses at the new inquest than were available or were called by the Point Grey police who were in charge of the case when the initial inquiry was held. Nobody now believes in the theory of suicide which then prevailed in some quarters. All developments of evidence point in other directions; and in any event, it is accepted that no girl of Janet Smith's calibre would wilfully shoot herself in the midst of an ironing and occupied as she was a minute before her body was discovered.

The first inquest resulted in a verdict of "accidental death," based largely upon the evidence of the Chinese servant, who testified that he was the first to find her body.

RESUMES ONSLAUGHT ON PLEA FOR MERCY

State Attorney Scorns 'Poetry And Philosophy' Quoted in Chicago Murder Case

Chicago, Aug. 27.—States Attorney Robert E. Crowe, vitriolic in speech and at times apoplectic in gesture, resumed his onslaught to-day upon the mercy plea in behalf of Nathan Leopold Jr. and Richard Loeb.

With a renewed attack upon the competency of the defence alienist testimony describing the mental debility of the youthful murderers of Bobby Franks, Mr. Crowe insisted upon a name for "these strange mental sicknesses invented for this case."

From the outset the explosive argument of the prosecutor drew the objection of the defence counsel, and an ensuing wrangle on technicalities called from Chief Justice John R. Caverly, to whom falls the duty of fixing sentence, the quiet and firm declaration that the "court will not consider any argument outside of the record."

Mr. Crowe, once visibly irritated by the objections of the defence, turned vigorously upon the bench to assert:

"They have been quoting poetry and philosophy here for four days; I don't see why we can't have a little citation from the law made."

YESTERDAY'S SESSION

At yesterday's session, in voicing the state's plea for the death penalty, State Attorney Robert E. Crow based his argument not on the philosophies of the sages, not upon the "prattle and piffle of paid alienists concerning childish phantasies and dreams of supermen," but "upon the laws of Illinois."

"And the law says," he shouted, "that in cases of extreme violence the penalty shall be fixed as death."

The state attorney snapped his oratorical fingers at the mental sickness theory of the defence, based, he said, "upon hairline decisions of high-paid alienists," whom he was pleased to call "the three wise men from the East."

A LOT OF "TWADDLE"

He made light of "all this twaddle about childish compacts and youthful phantasies and dream lands of Teddy bears and detectives' careers," and called the proceedings back from laboratories, psychopathic hospitals and communistic mass meetings to the commercial court of Cook County.

POUNDED TABLE

Mr. Crowe's gestures, particularly his pounding on the table before him, brought spectators to the edges of their seats.

"There two perverts," he cried, "their lives are worthless to themselves; they are a disgrace to their proud families; they are a menace to this community."

He scored the defence plea for mercy and characterized Mr. Darrow as "the professional protector of murder in Cook County."

The state attorney's mood flashed from the pleading of facts to the ironical, and then to sarcasm as he reviewed the testimony which six weeks of hearing has put into the record to aid Judge Caverly in fixing the penalty.

AIRTIGHT CASE

"If they were not certain the state had prepared an air-tight case," he said, "the plea would have been insanity. Instead we now have a plea running all around insanity, yet never touching it."

"These children," he cried, pointing to the defendants, "these two poor sons of multi-millionaires are here pleading for the mercy of this court.

"Your honor, these boys are entitled to as much mercy as two rattlesnakes, flushed with venom and coiled, read to strike; as much mercy as two mad dogs. The only use for them now is to go out of this life as quickly as possible at the hands of the law."

The prosecutor replied also to the implied charges in the defence argument that he would be held up to the world as a "cold-blooded and heartless monster crying for the blood of two youths." His answer was the law.

NO PERSONAL INTEREST

"We may forgive our personal injuries," he said to the judge. I have never prosecuted anyone for a wrong against my person—and I have suffere grievous wrongs. I have never entered a lawsuit for the recovery of debt—and even at this minute there is a great deal owing me. I am a man of family. I love my children; they love me. I have no personal interest in this case beyond the upholding of the law.

"Neither you, as a judge, nor I, as the state attorney, has a shred of right to forgive injuries to the laws which we are sworn to defend."

Replying to Clarence Darrow's point that the crime was "aimless and without motive," the prosecutor asserted the $10,000 ransom had "everything to do with it." He combated the "aimless" idea of the defence by charging that the defendants had first intended to kidnap a little girl.

SPLIT PERSONALITIES

Mr. Crowe also discussed in an ironical vein the evidence concerning split personalities.

"We have heard so much about those personalities in this case," he said, "that I was surprised to find in the personality of the eminent apostle of humanitarianism who preceded me so much person."

He followed this with a denunciation of the defence attitude toward Loeb's childhood governess.

"Why was she not called as a witness by the defence?" he asked.

"It was because she refused to follow the conclusions of the defence alienists regarding Loeb's childhood. At this moment she is in Europe, a pensioner of the Loeb family."

"There is not a word of evidence in the record to that effect," objected Benjamin Bachrach, one of the defence counsel.

BANDITS PRAISE PLUCKY MANAGER

One of Clues Vancouver Detectives Have to Work on

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—One of the clues which police and detectives have had to assist them in the search for the bandits who held up the Granville and Robson branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce on July 24, is a letter received by G. A. Bonnallie, the manager, who was knocked out by the leader of the gang when he showed resistance.

The letter was received the day after the robbery, and its existence has been a closely guarded secret ever since. It came on plain paper in a plain envelope bearing a Vancouver postmark.

"We have made $19,000 in one day, while you who have been working hard all your life have probably not made that much altogether. But you are the bravest man we have ever met, only we were just a little bit braver."

These are two of the comments contained in the mysterious missive, which bank officers refused to publish.

Overnight Entries

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Thursday's entries at Lansdowne Park.

First race—Six furlongs.
Trulane 109
Dr. Machette 109
Carpathian 109
Roxboro II 109
Miss Criton 107
George Muehlebach* 104
Humma* 104
Zarin* 102
India* 102
Sure* 102
Lulu Black* 102
Kentucky Smiles* 102
Also eligible
Mary Muller 107
F. G. Corley 109
Lady St. Patrick 107

Second race—Six furlongs.
Tom Brooks 109
Louis Lachmund 109
Madson 109
Athgarven 109
Vic Munoz* 104
Onwa* 104
Al Wick* 104
Freddie Fear* 104
Double Van* 104
Annette's Sister* 102
Ruth Harrigan* 102
Kiel Diamond* 102
Also eligible:
Yallabilagel 107
Solon 109

Third race—Six furlongs:
Quincy Ward 111
Cromwell 111
Jack Ledi 111
Ukase* 109
Mess Kit* 109
Annette Teller 109
Lawrence Manning* 109
Williigan* 107
Mayflower* 104
Fandango* 104

Fourth race—Six furlongs:
Private Peat 119
Black Top 116
James B. Brown 116
Vesper Bells 115
Nan McKinney 114
Carrie Moore 113
Barriskane 108
Miss Nantura 105
Porter Ella 105
Quota 105

Fifth race—One mile and one-sixteenth.
Pirate McGee 112
Grandson* 109
She Devil* 107
Casey* 105
Tis Seth 101
Collision* 94

Sixth race—Five furlongs.
Klaskina 113
Brig Pendens 111
Sunset 109
Sainsak 109
York Belle 103
Miss Pharmacy 103
Lady York 103
Catch Me 95

Seven race—One mile and seventy yards:
Repent 112
My Reverie 112
York Road 110
Chile Con Carne 110
Contriol 107
Col. Boyle 107
Very Common 102
DeBeers 102

*—Apprentice allowance claimed.

SHIP ORDERED TO AID OF LADY KINDERSLEY

Washington, Aug. 27.—The Bureau of Education's supply ship Boxer has been ordered to proceed to the assistance of the motorship Lady Kindersley, caught in the ice forty-five miles east of Point Barrow, Alaska. The Boxer last was reported within thirty or forty miles of the distressed vessel.

SIBERIAN PEARS IN SOUTH DAKOTA SOON

Dr. N. E. Hansen, of Cossack Alfalfa Fame, on Exploration Tour

Brookings, S.D., Aug. 27.—N. E. Hansen, South Dakota's "agricultural explorer," whose trips to Asiatic countries in quest of fruits and plants adaptable to the climate of the Northwest have paid dividends of inestimable extent to farmers of the Dakotas, is embarking upon his sixth trip to the Siberian steppes, this time in quest of a pear hardy enough to withstand the extremes of the South Dakota climate.

Dr. Hansen is on his way westwrd to embark for Vladivostok, financed by a $20,000 appropriation of the South Dakota Legislature.

Already the contributor of the Cossack alfalfa and of the hardy Hansen hybrid plum, which has been developed to mature in Dakota's short Summers, Dr. Hansen declared the cold fastnesses of northern Siberia hold various other fruits and agricultural species which may be adapted to this climate. His five previous journeys of exploration have resulted in the introduction to the northwest of the Turkestan, Siberian and other alfalfa breeds, a hot of hybridizations of orchard fruits and several varieties of hardy roses.

NEW TYPE OF SHEEP

In 1913, when he returned from Siberia he brought a product outside his specific province, a Siberian 'fat-rumped" sheep, which has shown itself capable of surviving the rigors of South Dakota Winters.

Cossack alfalfa, which is regarded as Dr. Hansen's masterpiece, now widely grown in the Northwest, was developed from a spoonful of seed in 1906 to more than 1,000 bushels of seed in 1916, and its culture is spreading as rapidly as seed is available.

Dr. Hansen is certain his present quest for a hardy pear, adaptable to Dakota climate, will be successful. "I know it is there," he said, "it is only a question of finding good specimens of a variety known to exist, and of developing them to resist blight. South Dakota has failed to raise pears chiefly because of this blight. It kills the trees."

Hatless Styles, Latest For Men, Often Embarrass

NEW YORK, Aug. 27—Many men here go bareheaded during the Summer.

It brings about some amusing situations.

A hatless friend of mine, standing in an aisle of a large department store was mistaken for a floorwalker.

"Where will I find woman's ready-to-wear clothes?" he was asked.

In a men's store a short time later, a man with two ties and money in his hand rushed up to him and said, "I'll take these two, wrap them up, I'm in a hurry."

The following day my friend was in another store. He chose several articles and took them to a man standing in the store.

"I'll take these," he said.

"Sorry," said the supposed clerk, "I don't work here, I left my hat in my car."

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FAMILIES in the East Side tenement section consider it irregular to be without a "boarder."

Often a family of five or sixe will live in two rooms. Despite that fact they have a "boarder."

Two rooms in a tenement cost $12 a month. There is running water in the hallways. Gas meters geared to accept quarters. The boarder pays $5 a month toward the upkeep of the home. It is payable in advance.

One rom serves as a kitchen and dining room and sleeping room for the children and the boarder. The mother and father live in the other room.

RIVINGTON STREET down on the East Side. A show place for older denizens of the tenement section. Customs and habits brought from another country persist. Men with long beards. Women with wigs. The "Mikwah" bath each Friday night before sundown. Pushcart fish salesmen. And the day is warm. Peddlars. Bargaining. Apples. Two for a penny. I'll give three cents for five. Kusherneer.....Nem an a misimeshine.

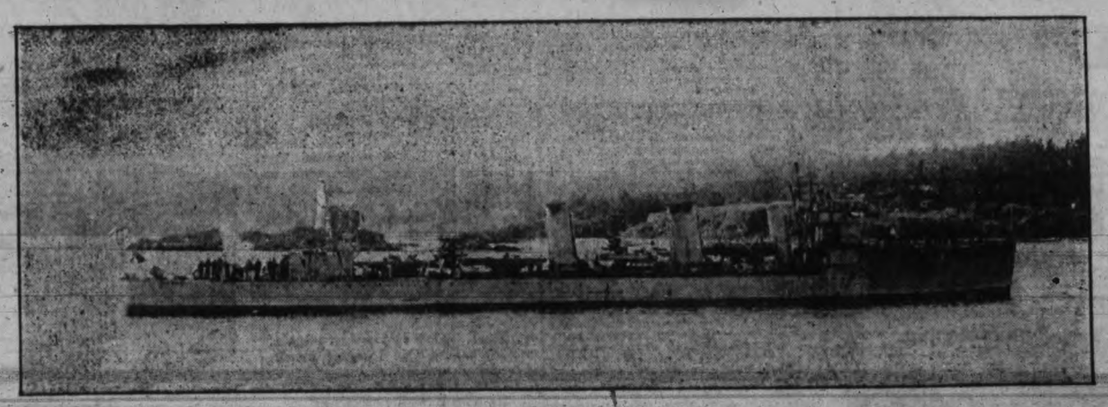
The Irish policeman. Seems out of place down here. The friend of everyone. Views all with a sympathetic eye. Plump housewives. Life seems to agree here.

—STEPHEN HANNAGAN

TORONTO EXHIBITION

Toronto, Aug. 27.—The attendance yesterday at the Canadian National Exhibition here was 203,000, as against 175,000 on the corresponding day last year. Yesterday was known as "Young Canada's Day."

Ready to Speed to Lady Kindersley's Relief



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AT THE THEATRES

"LADY OF QUALITY" SHOWS CAREFUL RESEARCH TO THEME

Special Attention in Pantages Offering to Correct Costuming

"A Lady of Quality," the famous classic by Frances Hodgson Burnett, which has been read by millions and has its niche in the permanent list of good literature, comes to the Pantages Theatre. Its cinema version is the result of several months of effort by Hobart Henley, featured director of the Universal Pictures Corporation, and a remarkable assemblage of players and staff assistants. Virginia Valli has the starring honors, aided by Milton Sills, Earle Foxe, Bert Roach, Willard Louis, Aileen Manning and many other notable personages of the film world in support.

It is said that the modern playwrights and cinema writers were developing a new form of drama much more intense and thrilling than the older. This is only partially true, in the opinion of Henley, who found that the Burnett story had in it all the elements of excellent screen drama.

He gives proper credit to three master brains of the film-literary profession who arranged the sequences of the classical story in conformance with photoplay requirements. Any novel, for that matter, undergoes certain changes either in stage or screen transcription. The three who adapted and scenarized "A Lady of Quality" were Marion Fairfax, Marion Ainslee and Arthur Ripley.

Research for the production of "A Lady of Quality," in which Colonel Gordon McGee handled the costuming, occupied ninety days before filming began. In the opinion of some critics, however, this is the surest guarantee of the quality of a motion picture: that its authenticity in detail and atmosphere has been protected by careful research.

AT THE THEATRES

Pantages—"A Lady of Quality."
Columbia—"In the Shadows of Whitechapel."
Playhouse—"Sure Fire Flint."
Capitol—"Bread."
Dominion—"The Female."

IS STORY OF RIVER LIFE NEAR WHITECHAPEL

Waterfront in Well-Known Shadowland Depicted in Columbia Film

"In the Shadows of Whitechapel" is a story of the slums. The background is a scene in East London by the riverside. Old Thames is shrouded in fog.

You can faintly see blurred wraiths of wharves and warehouses, ghostly ships lying in the tideway, phantoms on barges, wielding great sweeps, tiny cockleshells with filmy figures bending back and forth to invisible oars and smart steamers with red-banded funnels belching forth twisting columns of smoke, like gray velvet.

There is heavy moisture in the air, that greasy dampness that doesn't fall from the clouds, but seems to rise from the cluttered puddled causeway. It beslaves the giant gables with dank ooze. It covers the stones with a slippery slime. It hangs upon the unkempt beards of the men's and the women's sleek braided tresses with tremulous beads as of crystal. It chills their flesh, so that when they turn their faces to the smoky west the shrewish wind flays their drawn cheeks spitefully and, prys among their rags and tatters.

It is London as you knew it. "In the Shadows of Whitechapel" will be shown at the Columbia Theatre to-day for the last time.

DRAMATIC PICTURE IS SHOWN IN CAPITOL OFFERING

Metro-Goldwyn Film "Bread" Is Notable Presentation

An unusual scene of great dramatic power is developed early in the course of action of "Bread," the Metro-Goldwyn picture which plays at the Capitol Theatre. This scene involves a woman's discovery of the theft of the household money by her husband, and the histrionic difficulties of this striking situation are met with an astonishing ease and power by Mae Busch in the role of the outraged wife.

Jeanette is forced to give up her position by the ill-founded jealousy of employer's wife. This catastrophe leads her to marry a spendthrift salesman by the name of Martin Devlin, and the marriage turns out badly. It is at this point that the discovery of the theft occurs. Jeanette leaves him and goes back into the business of earning her bread.

How she becomes an important member of the firm, how she is finally reunited with her regenerated husband—these incidents form the remaining substance of a matchless film.

Victor Schertzinger, who directed the photoplay, has enhanced every possible screen value of the widely discussed Charles D. Norris novel of the same name.

VALUE OF NAMES MEANS MUCH IN THEATRICAL WORLD

Film at Playhouse Is Full of Action Throughout

Names mean a great deal in any profession. To be well known and have a reputation is always of interest to the public, and no profession in the world has been built more upon popular names that the theatrical and musical. The name of Caruso was magic in the world of song, the name of Kreisler is supreme to violin lovers. On the stage such names as Booth, Irving, Mansfield, Bernhardt, Ellen Terry and Mary Anderson have become household words. In the movies Charlie Chaplin, Douglas Fairbanks, Mary Pickford and others mean everything to the box office. In the world of "movie" comedy the name of Johnny Hines is rapidly forging to the front. In his "Torchy" comedies he established a reputation that will long be remembered by the American boys and girls. The reason for this is that Johnny is one of them, even on the screen. He does things in his pictures that boys and girls do every day. Thus his name means so much to the younger set of moving picture fans. Those who saw him in "Burn 'Em Up Barnes" will never forget him. He is always full of action, and that is what counts in a picture story.

Now Johnny Hines is ready with a new comedy; a comedy that is said to surpass "Barnes." It is called "Sure Fire Flint." The title alone tells that Johnny is going to be busy all the time. He has many thrilling adventures in this picture. To add to the popularity of the picture his manager has surrounded him with a cast of well-known people, whose names means a great deal in the theatrical world. Among them are Doris Kenyon, a star herself; Effie Shannon, an actress known to the public for years; Edmund Breese and Robert Edeson are both stars in their own sphere, while J. Barney Sherry and Charles Gerard need no introduction whatsoever. Don't forget that "Sure Fire Flint" is a thrilling comedy at the Playhouse.

DOMINION SHOWS THE LION'S CUB IN AFRICAN LOCALE

Psychology of Young Boer Woman Analyzed in Film

Kipling's first name is not Solomon, but posterity will call him a wise man just the same. It was Kipling who said "the female of the species is more deadly than the male," and every day brings fresh evidence to prove that he was right. From time to time the idea has been used by writers as a theme for a novel or a short story but it remained for Cynthia Stockley, famous woman author, to prove that not only is the female more dangerous than the male, but she is also more ferocious than the king of beasts.

Miss Stockley's "Dalla, the Lion Cub," has been adapted to the screen by Agnes Christine Johnston and produced by Sam Wood for the Paramount organization. Under the film title, "The Female," the picture plays at the Dominion Theatre for a six days' run. Betty Compson has the stellar role and is ably supported by a superlative cast which includes among others, Warner Baxter, Noah Beery, Dorothy Cummings and Freeman Wood.

Like most of Miss Stockley's stories "The Female" has an African locale. It is a story of primitive love and savage hate—of an uncultured, madcap Boer girl who exercises a strange fascination over the men she meets. Many men try to conquer her only to learn to their sorrow that she has been well-named "the lion cub." The man she loves looks upon her as an ignorant little savage. What she does when she finally realizes the gulf that lies between them furnishes some of the most thrilling drama ever flashed on the screen.

By all means see this picture!

Dr. T. W. Butler of the New Thought Temple, who was in Seattle last week, has returned to Victoria, and will have charge of the healing meeting on Wednesday evening. There will be a study in healing, followed by demonstrations and treatments. The meeting is open to the public.

GAS IN THE STOMACH IS DANGEROUS

Recommends Daily Use of Magnesia to Overcome Trouble Caused by Fermenting Food and Acid Indigestion

Gas and wind in the stomach accompanied by that full, bloated feeling after eating are almost certain evidence of the presence of excessive hydrochloric acid in the stomach, creating so-called "acid indigestion."

Acid stomachs are dangerous because too much acid irritates the delicate lining of the stomach, often leading to gastritis accompanied by serious stomach ulcers. Food ferments and sours, creating the distressing gas which distends the stomach and hampers the normal functions of the vital internal organs, often affecting the heart.

It is the worst of folly to neglect such a serious condition or to treat with ordinary digestive aids which have no neutralizing effect on the stomach acids. Instead get from any druggist a few ounces of Bisurated Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This will drive the gas, wind and bloat right out of the body, sweeten the stomach, neutralize the excess acid and prevent its formation and there is no sourness or pain. Bisurated Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and the best form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.

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PLAYHOUSE
BIG DOUBLE COMEDY BILL
STAGE: The Playhouse Players Present Comedy Farce "Burglars Beware"
SCREEN: The Comedy of the Year JOHNNY HINES in "Sure Fire Flint"

Stage

Sewing Machines Instead of Typewriters Seem to Have Been Used in the Writing of First Plays of Broadway's New Crop

NEW YORK, Aug. 27—The first touch of cool weather sent impressarios hurtling productions upon a play-hungry Broadway, but with stuff that might as easily been written on a sewing machine as a typewriter.

The season's getaway was "Dancing Mothers," at the Booth, credited to Edgar Selwyn and Edmund Goulding, many lines of which appeared to have been torn from the speeding fingers of the typist and rushed by taxi to the rehearsal. The play itself is amusing, once it gets under way, though the title does not fit the substance. As a matter of fact "mother" cannot dance, and has to "sit out" with the Don Juanish hero.

Up to a given point the play follows an easily recognized pattern. There is a rich husband who has a bathing beauty on the side. There is the "modern" daughter who gets full of cocktails and is beyond all control. And the mother who finally rebels

ELIZABETH HINES

and steps out. Mother starts out to save daughter, only to stumble on to proof of her husband's unfaithfulness and to find that the "gent" with whom her daughter takes gin is a balm for her inhibited life.

Here the play gets different and far more interesting. For, when the family is thoroughly sobered by mother's antics, and the gin-drinking daughter goes through an overnight reform—it is too late. Mother has tired of the selfishness of the rest and refuses to return home—despite tears and threats of all concerned.

Not a happy ending, many will say. Perhaps!

Cunning Helen Hayes is the flapper; sophisticated Henry Stephenson, the husband; Mary Young, very fine in spots, the mother; John Halliday, a first-rate actor, is the sweetheart; Elsie Lawson, a perfectly thrilling "hard-boiled" type—altogether an excellent company. It is not likely the play will survive the season.

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THERE came to the Vanderbilt "Dr. David's Dad," an adaptation of a German play that is doing a regular "Abie's Irish Rose" business in Berlin. There were things to indicate that in the German the play is probably built of good marketable stuff, but this is all lost in its adaptation. It is built along the "Friendly Enemies" line, but is fumbled.

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"EASY STREET," which came to the 39th Street Theatre, tried to be melodramatic, domestic tragedy—and all that, but brought forth only laughs from the audience. There is a scene in which the wife wishes to go to the movies, wherein the hero draws himself up dramatically and cries: "I do not approve of those De-Mille pictures!"

What could an audience do but laugh, though it was a quite serious moment?

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ONE can appreciate the genius of George M. Cohan when he sees Elizabeth Hines playing in "Marjorie," under the direction of others. In "The O'Brien Girl" and "Little Nellie Kelly," Miss Hines was just about the most scintillating figure in musical comedy. She is not quite that in "Marjorie."

It is doubtful is there is a more graceful waltzer than Miss Hines in this country. In "Marjorie" she has only one waltz. That comes in the last act and the stage is poorly arranged for it.

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THE only song in "Marjorie" which approaches hit proportions is "Twilight Rose." That song was written in Chicago. New York is generally considered the birth place of all popular songs.

Other recent music hits which have come from Chicago are "No, No, Nora," "Spain," "The One I Love," "Don't Mind the Rain," "Unfortunate Blues," "Until To-morrow" and others.

And from the Pacific coast comes "Mandalay" and "Sweet Little You," two of the biggest phonograph sellers in months.

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MONTREAL BLOCKED WITH UNSOLD GRAIN

Montreal, Aug. 26.—"The port is just blocked with grain," said T. F. Trihey, secretary to the Board of Harbor Commissioners, yesterday morning, when asked about the situation.

"The grain is here and it is not being moved. At present we have 8,900,000 bushels stored, and we have handled this year the total of 71,797,000 bushels. It is a question of the demand for grain from the other side. Over there they are not buying. The full reasons we do not know, and that is one of the reasons a meeting of the Harbor Commissioners is being held to-day."

FIFTH REGIMENT WEEKLY SHOOT

The Fifth Regiment weekly shoot at Clover Point was held on Saturday. Conditions were fairly good, with usual strong right wind. Bdr. A. H. Rudge, promoted to B Class, also won his fourth spoon. The scores follow:

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A Class				
L.-Sgt. F. Richardson ...	22	30	29	81
B.-S.-M. S. Bowden	23	26	23	72
B Class				
Major M. K. Crockett ..	24	28	31	83
Gnr. E. R. Simmonds ..	27	19	25	71
Sgt. A. G. Morry	20	24	3	47
C Class				
*Bdr. A. H. Rudge	21	30	21	72
Gnr. W. A. Johnson	27	16	12	55
Gnr. K. Morris	15	22	8	45
Gnr. F. Wheldon	0	24	0	24

DR. FRANK CRANE ON "ENGLAND A LIBERAL GIVER"

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Spain, the latter undertaking to repay the money spent on public works by Great Britain. The money was never paid but remains owing to Great Britain to this day.

Cuba once belonged to England. It was taken by a British fleet and army under Lord Albermarle in the middle of the eighteenth century. It was afterward restored to Spain for no other reason than that the administration in Downing Street did not care to retain it any longer.

Java, and in fact all of the Dutch East Indies, were in the possession of England from 1811 until 1818, when they were voluntarily restored to Holland without any compensation whatever in return. Yet these Dutch East Indies are perhaps the richest colony of any European power.

Monorca has, at two different periods, belonged to England. It was presented to Spain by England at the time of the Treaty of Amiens in 1803.

Guiana was conquered by Great Britain as the result of much cost of life and treasure, but one-third of it was presented as a free gift to France in 1815, and one-third to the Netherlands.

Heligoland was given by Great Britain to Germany in return for the abandonment of Teuton claims in Zanzibar.

New Guinea, the largest island in the world, next to Australia, was formerly annexed to Queensland. But Great Britain relinquished one-half of New Guinea and it became known as Kaiser Wilhelmland. The Great War enabled the commonwealth of Australia to recover its possession and it is once more under the British flag.

Samoa was abandoned by England in 1899 to Germany and was restored during the Great War also. The Samoan Archipelago is now administered by New Zealand.

Gibraltar has been offered to Spain six times but has always been declined. To-day, Spain bitterly regrets her rejections of these repeated offers of Great Britain to restore to her Gibraltar, while there is no Englishman who does not congratulate himself on the good fortune which frustrated these foolish offers.

Egypt has also been given up by Great Britain and less than a quarter of a century ago Tangiers was abandoned by it.

Altogether, according to Mr. Cunliffe-Owen, England has made a good record by her generosity but she will never give up the Suez Canal or the Sudan. Each owes to her its peace, prosperity and civilization.

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Victoria Is Granted a Franchise in Western Canada Hockey League

Patricks Cast Lot With Prairie Clubs

Seattle is Counted Out in New Order of Things; Six Clubs Will Comprise New Western Canada Hockey League; E. L. Richardson, of Calgary, is Re-elected Head of Organization; Fourteen Home Games Will be Played in Victoria This Winter

Calgary, Aug. 27.—After many years of successful operation, the Pacific Coast Hockey League passed into history by the applications of Frank A. Patrick on behalf of the Vancouver Club and Lester Patrick, on behalf of the Victoria Club, for franchises in the Western Canada Hockey League, at a lengthy annual session, held here yesterday.

The Western Canada League will hereafter be composed of six teams, Calgary, Regina, Saskatoon, Edmonton, Vancouver and Victoria, and will have for its leader E. L. Richardson, of Calgary, who was unanimously re-elected president for the 1924-25 season.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE

The applications from Vancouver and Victoria came somewhat as a surprise, the pioneer work done by the Patricks in establishing professional hockey in Western Canada was recognized by the members of the Western Canada League who welcomed them into the organization by granting them franchises and the league will now have the active co-operation in furthering the affairs of professional hockey in all Western Canada.

There was absolutely no opposition to the selection of President Richardson and at no stage of the meeting was there any signs of trouble. The meeting was undoubtedly the greatest from point of harmony and success and the league moguls figure that they put over a wonderful achievement in taking in the two British Columbia clubs.

A DOUBLE PLAY-OFF

The schedule, which will be drafted later, will include fourteen home games for each club, which is one less than a year ago. And there will be a double playoff for the championship, the four teams standing highest at the termination of the scheduled forming two groups to play home and home games and the two winners will then clash to play off for the championship proper.

It was announced the world series for the Stanley Cup would be played off in the West, probably at Vancouver, where artificial ice will assure a playoff any time desired, regardless of weather conditions.

The 1922 penalty system was adopted. Teams can not be reduced to four players except when the second player is doing time for a major penalty. Each club will be limited to ten players.

NO OFF-SIDES

A new rule which will be tried out and which it is anticipated will speed up the play and meet with the hearty approval of the patrons will be no off-sides in any section of the ice excepting when crossing from one section to another. Last Winter the no-offside rule only referred to the centre ice section.

Those at the meeting were Frank Patrick, Vancouver; Lester Patrick, Victoria; Wes Champ, Regina; Lloyd Turner, Calgary; Messrs. Hochen and Canguish, Saskatoon; President Richardson and Kenny McKenzie, Edmonton manager.

One of the biggest surprises that has been sprung in western hockey circles since the days when Frank Patrick broadcasted his charges of professionalism against the "Big Four, which resulted in that supposedly amateur body taking up the game under its proper colors, out and out professionals, was caused yesterday when the Patricks were accepted into the Western Canada Hockey League.

There was no inkling as to what plans the Patricks had in mind for the coming Winter when they left the coast on Saturday for the annual meeting of the W.C.H.L. in Calgary. They have always struck to their stand of never talking shop out of season, and since the doors of the coast arenas closed last Spring, have remained silent on their plans. Yesterday, however, they had to talk, and out came the bag of tricks.

VERY PLEASANT SURPRISE

The result of the Patricks' visit to Calgary has been the subject of much favorable comment in this city today. It means that Victoria is to have hockey this Winter. Many of the fans had begun to wear long faces at the prospects of no dashing Winter sport this year. With Seattle admittedly out of it the fans saw little hope of Victoria and Vancouver carrying along alone.

The Patricks, however, fashioned their plans and went before the W.C.H.L. and were welcomed with open arms. The standing of the Patricks makes them good partners in any company, and the prairie moguls realized the advantage of taking them into partnership.

MOVE IN RIGHT DIRECTION

No longer should the cry be heard of "Too much Patrick." Despite the fact that Frank and Lester have provided first class Winter amusement on the coast for the fans, and no one else has been willing to take a chance at the game there has been a great deal of talk of a monopoly. The Patricks, however, have shown that they have been out for the best interests of the game through the fact that no less than fourteen innovations have been introduced to speed up the play. Every move has been for the purpose of making hockey more spectacular.

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New Club Seeking Berth In National Hockey This Year

Eastern Moguls Look Unfavorably Upon Giving Out Franchises

Confirmation of Deals by Clubs Will be Made at Special Meeting

Montreal, Aug. 27—Largely on the decision reached by the National Hockey League directors next Sunday at Ottawa on the question of admitting a fifth club to the circuit will depend the attitude that the owners of the Canadiens Hockey Club will take regarding an offer for the purchase of the fronchise and players of the Stanley Cup holders. The offer of $50,000 made for the club by the shareholders of the Mount Royal Arena Company was considered at a meeting here yesterday at the offices of the Hon. A. David. After carefully considering the professional hockey situation, it was decided to defer any decision pending the league meeting on Sunday.

The general impression among the hockey followers is that a fifth club hardly will be admitted, an unanimous consent is required from the four clubs now in the circuit and it is not thought likely that they will agree.

Ottawa, Aug. 27—When the National Hockey League moguls meet here at an emergency meeting on Sunday, official confirmation of the acquisition of "Bullet" Joe Simpson of Edmonton, and "Hooly" Smith, captain of the Canadian Olympic hockey team, by the Ottawa Senators, is expected by local sport writers.

It is rumored that Kenny McKenzie, manager of the Edmonton Eskimos, had demanded $15,000 for Simpson, or a trade of his star defence man for Benedict, Clancy, Broadbent and Dennehy to exchange Frank Nighbor, voted the most valuable player in the league last season, for Simpson. This offer, it is understood, was accepted.

While it is understood that "Hooly" Smith has signed a contract with the Senators, officials of the club refused to confirm or deny this. No details of the alleged purchase price of Smith is available. With

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Native Sons Have No Chance to Win In Lacrosse Series

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Native Sons of Canada passed out of the lacross picture so far as awards are concerned last night at Athletic Park, when the North Shore Athletics beat them 4-0.

QUOITING NOTES

R. McKenzie beat F. Taylor in the semi-final of the second division of the cup tie on Saturday, the score being 41-17. The draw for the Aitken medal is as follows:

H. Reid (10) vs. F. Taylor (11).
J. Leipen (sc.) vs. S. Watt (5).
C. Lipp (5) vs. A. McMillan (5).
T. Scoular (2) vs. T. Alexander (5).
J. McMillan (sc.) vs. D. McMillan (sc).
D. McCaig (2), bye.

A handicap will be held on Monday at 1 o'clock sharp. Everyone is welcome.

FAMOUS COAST HOCKEY TRIUMVIRATE PASSES

Yesterday's momentous decision at Calgary by the Western Canada Hockey League to accept the requests of the Patricks for franchises for Victoria and Vancouver marked the passing from the hockey world of the Pacific Coast Hockey Association, which has functioned since 1912 and given Coast hockey fans their dish of Canada's national Winter sport. It also marked the passing of Seattle as a hockey centre. Victoria now finds itself in the favorable position of having representation in the strongest and best hockey league in existence.

Edmonton Grads Back in Canada After Long Trip

Toronto, Aug. 27.—Fit and smiling, the eight members of the Commercial Graduates' Basketball Club of Edmonton, world champions, arrived here last night. They were welcomed by members of the Toronto Ladies' Basketball Club who are returning the hospitality the westerners showered on them during the games at Edmonton, and were taken to the performance at the exhibition.

The girls of both clubs were to be the guests of the directors of the exhibition at dinner to-night, but as the Edmonton club is leaving for the West at 6 o'clock the plan was abandoned, and an exhibition game before the grandstand which was projected, also had to be abandoned.

After landing at Montreal, the party made a flying trip to New York and saw Coney Island and on their trip West they will stop off a day at Chicago. They have been away ten weeks.

Berlenback Meets Stribling in Big Battle To-night

New York, Aug. 27.—Paul Berlenbach of New York, light heavyweight, will face the acid test tonight, when he squares off with "Young" Stribling, sensational Macon "schoolboy" boxer, in a six-round bout. Despite its brevity, the match has excited intense interest. Stribling will enter the ring a favorite. In 109 starts, Stribling has scored 107 victories.

Nanaimo Lands Two Players But Fails To Get Big Stars

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Jimmy Gemmell of I.L.A., and Jock Smith of North Vancouver Elks, will turn out for Nanaimo City, it is understood, and this appears to have been the bag of the Coal City men in their hunt for material, in which they tried to land Linning, Forrest and Harley of the All-Canadians. But Forrest wouldn't stay West, and Linning is a postal employee at Lethbridge, and Harley has a similar position in Winnipeg.

Hot Mat Rivals to Meet Again To-night

Los Angeles, Aug. 27.—Ed "Strangler" Lewis, heavyweight wrestling champion of the world, will defend his title against Stanislaus Zbyszko, Polish matman in a bout here to-night. The match is for two out of three falls with a referee's decision if the bout goes the two-hour limit.

Rain Halts Sport On All Fronts In New York Section

Tennis, Polo and Many Other Sports Cancelled Yesterday Owing to Deluge

New York, Aug. 27.—Sports activity in the East, now at the height of one of the busiest late season campaigns on record, was abruptly halted by rain yesterday on nearly all fronts.

A heavy overnight downpour played havoc with baseball, boxing, horse racing, polo and tennis schedules, disappointing performers and spectators alike.

In the metropolitan sector, play was suspended in the national men's singles championship which opened in spectacular fashion on Monday at Forest Hills; rain interrupted the international polo practice matches at Westbury, in which an English team was to have played the California junior champions.

Tennis play at Forest Hills, will be resumed this afternoon, if the weather permits. This will witness the opening skirmish of William Tilden, defending champion with his Spanish rival Manuel Alonzo.

Forest Hills, N.Y., Aug. 27.—After two forced postponements in succession because of rain, William T. Tilden of Philadelphia, defending champion, and Manuel Alonzo of Spain meet to-day in the second round of the men's national singles tennis championship here. Both players drew byes in the first round.

As a result of the first day's matches fourteen players advanced to the second round and thirteen others who had drawn byes in the first round reached the third round. Ten matches remained unfinished in the first and second rounds of play.

SARAZEN A WINNER

Saratoga Springs, Aug. 27.—Sarazen, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt's famous gelding, yesterday won the $5,000 Huran handicap for three-year-olds at a mile and three-sixteenths, feature of the Saratoga card. Aga Khan was second, and Big Blaze third. Time, 2.02 4-5.

SCORES DECISIVE WIN

Los Angeles, Aug. 27.—Bert Colima, claimant to the Pacific Coast middleweight title, decisively defeated Joe Egan of Boston in the main event at the Vernon Arena last night.

NEW SPEED RECORD

Altoona, Pa., Aug. 27.—Harry Hartz set up a new qualifying record for the Altoona speedway yesterday, when he turned the mile-and-a-quarter board bowl in 36.3 seconds at the rate of 123 miles an hour. The speed was made in qualifying for the 250-mile automobile race on Labor Day.

Jummy Murphy was a fraction of a second slower than Partz, turning the round at the rate of 122.3 miles an hour.

Corinthians Look For Better Things On Homeward Trip

Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—Flushed with their recent successes in the West, the Corinthians' football team reached Winnipeg this morning and will make its second appearance on local grounds, when they meet United Weston, the Dominion champions, at 6.15 this evening. With one exception, the visitors will play the same team that defeated the Canadian All-Stars at Vancouver last Saturday, while the United Westons will likely include Bob Harley, who accompanied the All-Stars on their Australian tour.

Chess Masters of Canada Will Play In Mainland City

Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 27.—All the games in the Dominion chess tournament at Hamilton, have now been completed with the result that J. S. Morrison, Toronto, retains his title of Dominion champion, winning the championship for the fourth time with a score of thirteen wins, two draws and no losses, against the most representative gathering chess players ever gathered together in a Canadian tournament.

The British Columbia chess players with Vancouver as their headquarters, are promoting the next fight for the title, and a tournament there for the year 1925 is likely to be sanctioned.

Youngster Makes Fine Score and Wins Trap Title

Toronto, Aug. 27.—Showing unusually good form and a marked improvement over his display of last year, George Vivian Jr. won the junior trapshooting championship of Canada yesterday, when he ran up a score killing forty-five birds out of fifty.

In the ladies' championship of Canada, Mrs. A. Temple of Hamilton defeated Miss Hunter, also of Hamilton, running up a score of forty-six out of fifty.

English Cricket

London, Aug. 27.—Following are the results of yesterday's county cricket championship matches, concluded yesterday:

Nottinghamshire beat Warwickshire by an innings and fifty-six runs.

Lancashire-Hampshire match was drawn.

Surrey beat Yorkshire by 109 runs.

Somersetshire beat Worcestershire by ten wickets.

The match between Essex and Northamptonshire was drawn.

The touring South African cricket team was defeated by Kent by an inning and eighty-nine runs.

Hornsby's Fierce Hitting of Little Help to Cardinals

St. Louis Second Baseman Gets Homer and Three Doubles But Team Loses

Giants Defeat Cubs; Washington, Only Leading Club Engaged, Wins and Loses

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago, Aug. 27.—The Giants earned an even break in the four-game series yesterday by scoring four runs in the ninth and defeating the Cubs, 11 to 9.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	11	20	0
Chicago	9	13	3

Batteries—Jonnard, Dean, Ryan, Meun and Gowdy, Snyder; Blake, Alexander, Jacobs and O'Farrell.

DONOHUE PITCHES WELL

Cincinnati, Aug. 27.—Donohue was in his best form yesterday while the Reds hit Benton for many long drives, Cincinnati winning the last game of the series from Boston, 7 to 0. Daubert had two doubles and a triple in five times up.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	0	4	3
Cincinnati	7	12	0

Batteries—Benton, Yeargin and Gibson; Donohue and Wingo.

HORNSBY'S HITS NO GOOD

St. Louis, Aug. 27.—Rogers Hornsby got a homer and three doubles in four times at bat yesterday but Brooklyn defeated the Cardinals, 7 to 4. Hornsby's home run was his twenty-second this season.

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	7	13	0
St. Louis	4	10	1

Batteries—Grimes and Taylor; Stuart, Fowler, Bell and Gonzales.

PIRATES WIN AND LOSE

Pittsburg, Aug. 27.—Pittsburg and Philadelphia divided a double header yesterday, the Pirates winning the first, 6 to 1, and the Phillies the second, 3 to 1. Yde held the visitors to five hits in the first game.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	1	5	3
Pittsburg	6	13	1

Batteries—Ring and Wilson; Yde and Smith.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	3	7	0
Pittsburg	1	9	3

Batteries—Hubbell and Henline; Morrison, Adams and Schmidt.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia, Aug. 27.—Joe Hauser, Philadelphia first baseman, drove the ball over the rightfield fence in the twelfth inning yesterday defeating the White Sox, 4 to 3. It was Hauser's twenty-first homer of the season and Chicago's thirteenth straight defeat. Rommell retired from the box in the eleventh when a drive split a finger on his pitching hand.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	3	10	0
Philadelphia	4	10	0

Batteries—Faber and Crouse, Schalk; Rommell, Hermach and Bruggy, Perkins.

WASHINGTON SPLIT EVEN

Washington, Aug. 27.—Washington divided honors with St. Louis yesterday in a double header, the visitors winning 7 to 0, before the locals triumphed, 6 to 2. Shocker held the Senators to five scattered hits in the first game. In the second Ogden never was in serious trouble but Danforth was free with hits and passes and was driven out of the box in the sixth.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	7	11	0
Washington	0	5	2

Batteries—Shocker and Severold; Zahinizer, Russell, Speece and Ruel, Tate.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	2	8	1
Washington	6	11	2

Batteries—Danforth, Pruett, Grant and Severold; Ogden and Ruel.

Only two Americans scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Minneapolis 6, Kansas City 11.
Toledo 9, Louisville 5.
St. Paul 2-7, Milwaukee 4-2.
Columbus 3, Indianapolis 6.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Baltimore 10, Buffalo 9.
Reading 2, Toronto 3.
Syracuse 8, Newark 6.
Jersey City 2-7, Rochester 7-5.

QUEBEC AND ONTARIO LEAGUE

Quebec 16-6, Canadiens 9-2.
Royals 10, Ottawa-Hull 7.

COAST LEAGUE

Los Angeles, Aug. 27.—While Charlie Hall held Los Angeles to eight scattered hits, Sacramento batted two Angel pitchers hard and won the series opener 10 to 1 here yesterday.

	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	10	12	1
Los Angeles	1	8	5

Hall and Shea; Dumovich, Weinert and Spencer.

PATCHED-UP TEAM WINS

San Francisco, Aug. 27.—Although presenting a patched-up line-up yesterday, with two pitchers in the outfield and a catcher on third base, Salt Lake walloped the Seals by a 6 to 3 score. Geary, for San Francisco, blew up in the sixth and allowed three doubles, a single and three walks for four runs.

	R.	H.	E.
Salt Lake	6	9	2
San Francisco	3	9	0

Singleton and Peters; Geary, Mitchell and Yelle.

(Other teams traveling).

U.S. Senior Golfers Win Opening Honors

C. D. Stinson of Seattle, Won First Place in Class A of Bogey Competition; Two Seattle Veterans Tied in Class B, While Honors Were Divided in Class C; C. D. Stinson and Sir Frank Barnard to Head Second American and Canadian International Teams

One hundred and thirty-eight golfers teed off yesterday in the bogey competition staged on the opening day of the Seniors' Northwest Golf Association at the Colwood and Country Club. The veterans were all in fine form and, taking into consideration the length of the course and the many hazards, a number of good scores were turned in. To-day the seniors are competing in the first round of the championship over eighteen holes, match play. To-morrow the second eighteen holes, match play, will be played and the veteran with the best gross score for the thirty-six holes, will be awarded the Barnard Cup which donates the championship.

In the bogey competition the golfers were divided into three classes A. B. and C. The first group were those from sixty-five years and upwards, the second division from sixty to sixty-five years and the third were the youngsters from fifty-five to sixty years.

OUT FOR REVENGE

On their showing yesterday it looks as though the Americans are here to obtain sweet revenge for their reverses last year. The Canadians had things much their own way in the first championship but Uncle Sam's representatives were right on their mettle yesterday and besides being in on all the first captured considerable of the other prizes. The Canadians will have to be right on their marks if they wish to prevent an exodus of silverware from Canada at the end of the tournament.

FINISHED ALL SQUARE

In class A, C. L. Stinson, one of Seattle's veteran golfers, carried off the honors with an all-square score. J. L. Sharpstein another American from Walla Walla was second with a two-down card.

In the class B, J. H. Bloedel and E. H. Strout both of Seattle were tied for first honors with a two-down score. F. R. Van Tuyl, also of the Sound city, was second with a three-down card.

In the youngsters class A. S. Kerry, of Seattle, and J. E. McIlreevy, of Vancouver, were tied for first prize being an all square score. W. A. Ward, Vancouver, T. W. Brownlee, L. H. Hardie, of Victoria, and M. A. Arnold, of Seattle, were tied for second place with scores of two down to bogey.

In the putting competition W. W. Baker, of Walla Walla carried off the honor with a fine score of thirty-six while H. E. Beasely, of Victoria, was second with a thirty-seven.

Yesterday the captains of the second international teams were picked for the match on Friday. C. L. Stinson, of Seattle, will head the Americans while Sir Frank Barnard, of Victoria, will be at the helm of the Canadians. The second team will be unlimited in regard to numbers and will include seniors who are not included in the first two teams.

Yesterday's results were as follows:

A Class Bogey Competition of 18 Holes—C. D. Stinson, Tacoma, handicap 22, all square; J. L. Sharpstein, Walla Walla, handicap 18, 2 down; J. E. Miller, Victoria, handicap 18, 3 down; R. Bowman, Vancouver, handicap 24, 3 down; F. H. Madden, Seattle, handicap 14, 5 down; E. J. Roberts, Spokane, handicap 20, 5 down; John Galt, Victoria, handicap 18, 6 down; F. H. Graves, Spokane, handicap 18, 7 down; D. E. Campbell, Victoria, handicap 30, 7 down; C. F. Todd, Victoria, handicap 18, 7 down; A. J. Fraser, Victoria, handicap 25, 8 down; A. J. Agnew, Everett, handicap 18, 8 down; E. Enloe, Spokane, handicap 18, 9 down; Col. O. J. Wilson, Victoria, handicap 20, 9 down; Dr. Henderson, Vancouver, handicap 24, 10 down; R. W. Gibson, Victoria, handicap 14, 10 down; W. H. Bone, Victoria, handicap 24, 11 down; E. B. Hurley, Tacoma, handicap 22, 12 down; B. S. Joselyne, Portland, handicap 20, 12 down; A. Baillie, Seattle, handicap 26, 14 down; W. A. Peters, Seattle, handicap 22, 14 down; C. E. Elderton, Vancouver, handicap 16, 14 down; W. L. Morkill, Victoria, handicap 25, 15 down.

B Class Bogey Competition of 18 Holes—E. A. Strout, Seattle, handicap 20, 3 down; J. H. Bloedel, Seattle, handicap 20, 3 down; Dr. Garesche, Victoria, handicap 24, 4 down; F. R. Van Tuyl, Seattle, handicap 11, 4 down; E. Shorrock, Seattle, handicap 20, 4 down; J. Collins, Seattle, handicap 12, 5 down; W. Howarth, Everett, handicap 22, 6 down; W. W. Baker, Walla Walla, handicap 16, 6 down; J. S. Baker, Tacoma, handicap 18, 6 down; H. E. Beasley, Victoria, handicap 30, 6 down; W. G. Hogg, Vancouver, handicap 20, 7 down; E. A. Nitchy, Portland, handicap 20, 7 down; M. H. Insley, Portland, handicap 23, 7 down; J. O. Grahame, Victoria, handicap 26, 8 down; D. E. Frederick, Seattle, handicap 24, 8 down.

Col. A. W. Jones, Victoria, handicap 28, 8 down; E. C. Atwater, Spokane, handicap 16, 8 down; O. B. Stubbs, Portland, handicap 26, 8 down; Sir R. Lake, Victoria, handicap 26, 8 down; A. McCreery, Vancouver, handicap 22, 9 down; O. S. Battle, Vancouver, handicap 15, 9 down; W. E. Davidson, Vancouver, handicap 19, 9 down; G. Torey, Seattle, handicap 26, 10 down; A. F. Albertson ——, 10 down; W. D. Mackay, Seattle, handicap 20, 10 down; O. B. McNeil, Vancouver, handicap 16, 10 down; C. F. Adams, Portland, handicap 26, 77 down; Dr. Mackay, Portland, handicap 18, 11 down; R. J. A. O'Reilly, Portland, handicap 19, 11 down; G. D. Bouton, Victoria, handicap 26, 11 down; A. F. McEwan, Seattle, handicap 24, 12 down; H. S. Griggs, Tacoma, handicap 11, 12 down; H. S. Griggs, Tacoma, handicap 11, 12 down; J. M. Ashton, Tacoma, ——, 13 down; J. Dick, Vancouver, handicap 16, 14 down; Justice Gregory, Victoria, handicap 30, 15 down.

C Class, 18 Holes, Bogey Competition

J. E. McIheevy, Vancouver, handicap 15, all square; A. S. Kerry, Seattle, handicap 9, all square; E. R. Wheeler, Tacoma, handicap 20, 1 down; F. W. Brownell, Tacoma, handicap 20, 2 down; W. A. Arnold, Seattle, handicap 16, 2 down; W. A. Ward, Vancouver, handicap 18, 2 down; L. H. Hardie, Victoria, handicap 16, 2 down; G. H. Barnard, Victoria, handicap 19, 3 down; H. H. McDougall, Vancouver, handicap 18, 4 down; F. T. McCullough, Spokane, handicap 12, 4 down; A. J. Jones, Spokane, handicap 11, 4 down; J. Caven, Victoria, handicap 16, 4 down; G. W. Korte, Seattle, handicap 18, 5 down; L. A. Lewis, New Westminster, handicap 9, 4 down; A. Campbell, Victoria, handicap 24, 6 down; R. D. Merrill, Seattle, handicap 20, 6 down; Admiral Wiley, Seattle, handicap 24, 6 down; F. G. Fowkes, Victoria, handicap 21, 7 down; P. Criddle, Victoria, handicap 14, 7 down; J. T. Hefferman, Seattle, handicap 18, 7 down; F. J. Martin, Seattle, handicap 26, 7 down; W. R. Butler, Tacoma, handicap 14, 7 down; J. D. Stewart, Seattle, handicap 18, 7 down; C. I. Loewen, Vancouver, handicap 18, 7 down; J. A. Byerly, Portland, handicap 14, 8 down; Con Jones, Vancouver, handicap 24, 8 down; Judge Lampman, Victoria, handicap 16, 8 down; A. Stuart-Robertson, Victoria, handicap 24, 8 down; R. E. Welch, Bellingham, handicap 24, 9 down; Dr. Nicholas, Portland, handicap 22, 9 down; D. W. Campbell, Victoria, handicap 18, 9 down; J. E. Wilson, Victoria, handicap 10, 9 down; H. S. Wallace, Vancouver, handicap 19, 10 down; J. B. Kerr, Portland, handicap 20, 10 down; W. D. Comer, Seattle, handicap 24, 10 down; T. Allen, Calgary, handicap 20, 11 down; J. Ogilvy, Vancouver, handicap 12, 11 down; J. R. Tite, Vancouver, handicap 18, 11 down; J. Savannah, Victoria, handicap 24, 11 down; R. F. Parel, Portland, handicap 15, 11 down; C. Harold, Tacoma, handicap 20, 11 down; A. F. McEwan, Seattle, 12 down; J. M. Atken, Vancouver, handicap 22, 13 down; G. Glass, Portland, handicap 12, 14 down.

The draw for the second round of the championship, with starting times and handicaps of each player, is as follows:

9 a.m.—W. D. Mackay 20 and C. J. Loewen 18.
9.05—M. H. Insley 23 and Dr. Garesche 24.
9.10—W. A. Peters 22 and A. McC. Creery, 22.
9.15—F. H. Madden 14 and Judge Lampman 16.
9.20—R. F. Prael 15 and C. S. Battle 15.
9.25—L. D. McLean 26 and Con Jones 24.
9.30—E. Shorrock 20 and John Galt 18.
9.35—Dr. H. S. Nichols 22 and A. Stuart Robertson 24.
9.40—H. S. Griggs 11 and F. T. McCollough 12.
9.45—E. C. Atwater 16 and J. Sobey 16.
9.50—W. G. Comer 24 and C. H. Mackay 24.
9.55—H. E. Beasley 30 and G. D. Bouton 30.
10.00—R. Bowman 24 and A. F. McEwan 24.
10.05—D. W. Campbell 18 and J. S. Baker 18.
10.10—O. B. Stubbs 26 and W. L. Morkill 25.
10.15—R. H. Swinerton 17 and A. G. Agnew 18.
10.20—Col. A. W. Jones 24 and Dr. Henderson 24.
10.25—C. F. Adams 26 and W. Sloan 26.
10.30—C. H. Jones 11 and J. E. Wilson 10.
10.35—J. R. Tite 18 and G. W. Korte 18.
10.40—C. B. Hurley 22 and Angus Campbell 24.
10.45—A. F. Albertson 23 and J. P. Babcock 21.
10.50—J. O. Grahame 30 and C. R. Elderton 16.
10.55—F. Buchner 26 and A. J. Fraser 25.
11.00—J. W. MacFarland 24 and D. E. Frederick 24.
11.05—C. F. Swigert 20 and W. B. Davidson 19.
11.10—E. J. Roberts 20 and Col. J. O. Wilson 20.
11.15—W. W. Baker 16 and C. B. MacNeill 16.

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RELIEF WORKERS CLEAN UP ANCIENT CORINTH—Miss Christine McLean of the Near East Relief Fund, under whose direction modern sanitation was installed in the city of Corinth, Greece, by orphans in the hostel there. Right, a group of Armenian children who were maintained by the Near East Fund in the Yenikeuv Palace at Constantinople. The Yenikeuv Palace is in New Town, and was built for a son of the Sultan Abdul-Hamil. Like the Kaiser's Palace at Corfu it was turned over to the children of massacred Armenians. At the left of the picture is seen Mr. Acheson of the headquarters of the Near East Relief, New York City, and Miss Maclean.

BROTHER OF W. J.'S—Charles W. Bryan, governor of Nebraska, who last week formally accepted the honor of running as Democratic candidate for the vice-presidency.

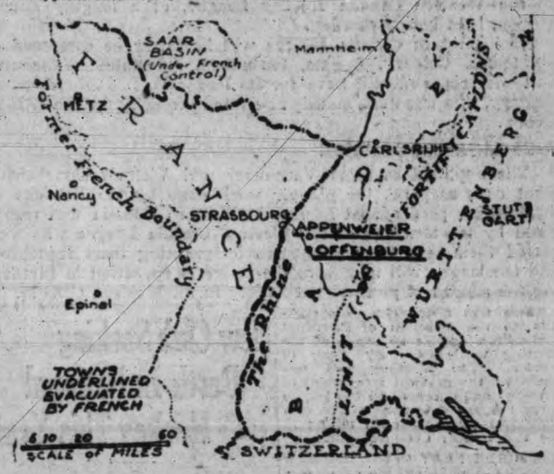
THIRTY-FIVE HUNDRED IMMIGRANTS FOR CANADA. They have arrived within the last month from Russia. They are fleeing from the soviet for their religious beliefs, as members of the Mennonite church do not make popular with the present rulers of Russia. Moderately wealthy people before the war and the revolution they now have nothing but their hands and their ability and their faith in this new land. Eventually they will all be farmers near the present Mennonite colony at Rosthern, Sask., but at present twelve hundred are staying near Kitchener in Waterloo County for the Winter. The picture shows a typical Mennonite family.

HAVEN FOR REFUGEES—Twelve hundred Russian Mennonite refugees are finding homes on Ontario farms through the efforts of the committee, of which Ira Bauman of Waterloo is head. Mr. Bauman is a descendant of Pennsylvania Mennonites who came to Ontario 125 years ago.

LEADS U.S. FLIGHT—Lieut. Lowell Smith, in command of the United States round-the-world flight.

DEFENDS WOMEN OF JAPAN—Mme. V. Ozaki (left), Japan's foremost authoress, and her daughter, Shinaye Eugenia Ozaki (right), who have come to this country to see if women here are as much misrepresented by writers as are Japanese women. She says writers tell only of the geisha girl, who is no more representative of the country than our "flapper" type. Japanese women, she declares, are self-sacrificing souls that would be a pride to any nation.

OLD FIGHTER—Higinia Aguilar, ninety-year-old Mexican rebel, who commands a force of 5,000 federals comprising infantry, cavalry and light artillery.



WHERE FRENCH QUIT—The two Baden towns, Offenburg and Appenweier, from which the French have just withdrawn their troops as a gesture of good will and an earnest of desire to see the pact of London operative, are shown on the above map.

RETIRED LEADER. — Viscount Grey of Fallodon, who has retired from the position of leader of the Liberals in the House of Lords.

MAY LEAD LIBERALS—Lord Buckmaster, who is mentioned as a likely successor to Viscount Gray of Fallodon, leader of the Liberals in the House of Lords.

TWO EXTREMES MAY WED—The announcement is expected shortly of the engagement of Miss Ishbel MacDonald, daughter of Ramsay MacDonald, present British Prime Minister, and of Oliver Baldwin, son of Stanley Baldwin, former Prime Minister.

PRINCESS PAT'S HUSBAND. Captain A. R. M. Ramsay, husband of Princess Patricia, who is soon to become chief of staff to Vice-Admiral Sir James A. Ferguson, commander-in-chief of the North Atlantic and West Indies Station.

MAX'S BOYS—Accompanying Lord Beaverbrook on his Canadian trip were his two sons, Max, the youngest, on the left and Peter, whose red hair the camera does not show. They are aged fourteen and twelve years respectively and are said to be expert golfers for their years. Lord Beaverbrook is bringing them up as Canadians.

SCHOOL DAYS

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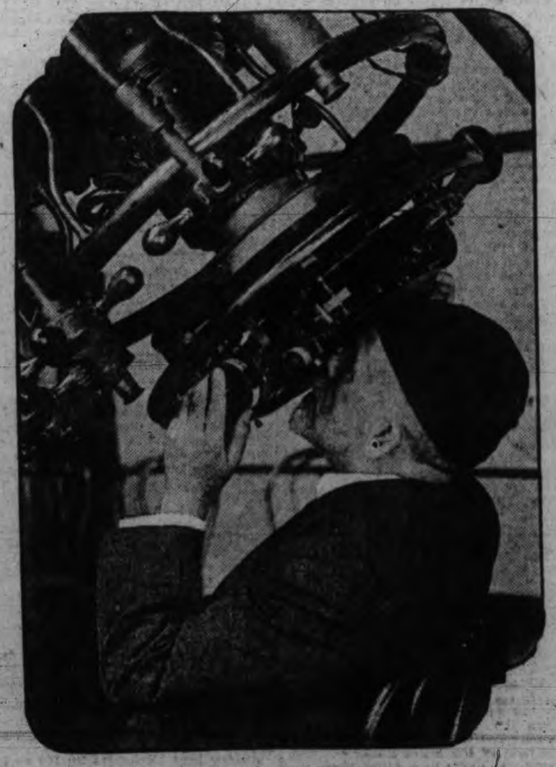
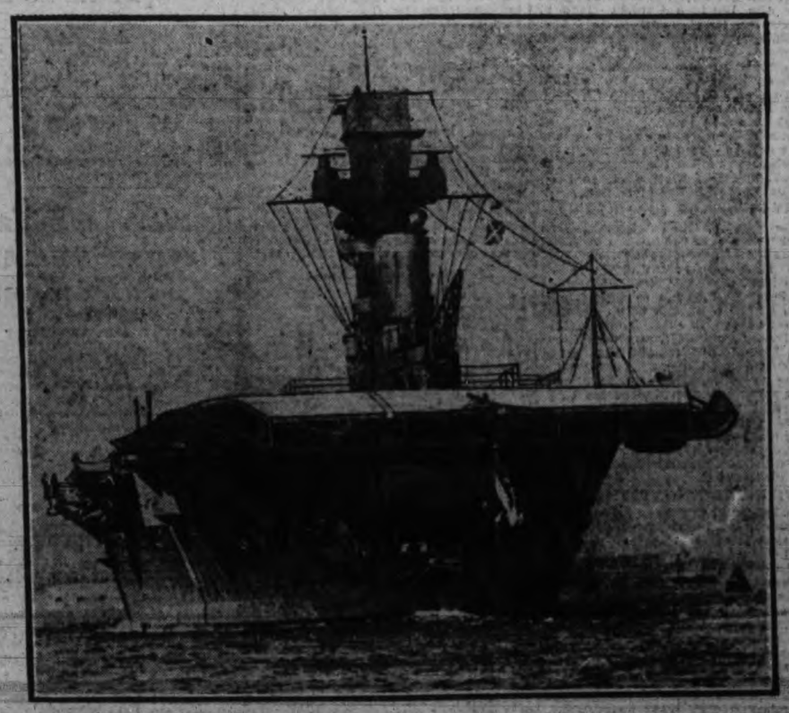


GETTING A SQUINT AT MARS—And now that Mars is only 34,500,000 miles away, just around the corner so to speak, Professor Hall of the Naval Observatory, Washington, takes a look through a twenty-six-inch telescope.



NO BEAUTY—H.M.S. Hermes, the aircraft carrier, and known as the ugliest ship in the royal navy. Here is a striking stern view of the vessel, made during the great naval review at Spithead.

Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

PROFESSIONAL ELEMENT LOST EARLY GAINS

New York, N.Y., Aug. 27 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—During the forepart of the session the stock market displayed considerable strength and gave indications of resuming the upward trend. Part of the early gains, however, were erased in the afternoon, chiefly as a result of efforts for the decline on the part of the professional element. Steel stocks responded to the remarks of Judge Gary on the improvement in the steel corporations business increase during the present month and advices from leading centres and more activity and expanding operations. An adverse influence of the day on the oil shares was the oil production figures showing another increase in output. Some specialties featured the market at various times during the day, but their movement was of a mixed character. The recent action in the stock market was chiefly of a corrective nature and has doubtlessly much strengthened the technical position. This coupled with constructive factors in the general situation warrants, in our way of thinking, the expectancy of a resumption of the forward movement.

EXCELLENT BUYING IN GRAIN MARKET

Chicago, Ills., Aug. 27 (By R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)—Wheat: Buying of wheat to-day was of an excellent character on the early break and while profit taking shaded best prices the sentiment was much less bearish. The weak cables caused a dip at the start on which there was free covering by shorts, active buying by cash interests and more general commission house support than for some time. The market was influenced a good deal by the strength in coarse grains. The Canadian weather news was favorable but recent big estimates of the crop were regarded as too optimistic. The export demand was good and there was evidently less hedging pressure. Outside buying did not follow the advance to any extent. The seaboard reported good acceptances abroad and charters here for 500,000 bushels again confirmed the view that the foreign demand was active. After such a drastic decline believe the market is in better shape to respond to buying and look for an upward turn before there is any advantage in taking the selling side.

Corn: This market is extremely erratic and lacks balance. With the country holding back old corn until they are sure what the crop outturn will be there is not likely to be any great pressure on the cash market. It will be another month before the early corn will be in safety and longer than that before a large part of the crop will be matured even with the best conditions. With this situation the corn market is likely to do what it has done recently, advance and decline erratically. There is a strong bull interest in the market and the buying on all setbacks is excellent.

Oats: The market scored a good advance and the demand showed that stocks everywhere are low. In the meantime oats prices are fully ten cents out of line with the usual difference between this grain and corn and with corn strong we see no reason for trying to discount the expected big movement much further.

Rye: Trade active at times, but the market in the main followed wheat. The export demand is fair and the situation with rye at such big discounts under corn as well as wheat looks strong after such a drastic decline.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	120	122-2	119-4	122-2
July	122	124-2	121	123-6
Sept.	119-4	122	119	121-1
Dec.	124-2	127-1	123-1	126-1
Corn—				
May	108-2	114-6	107-6	113
July	108	114-2	108	112-4
Sept.	113-6	118	113-4	116-6
Dec.	107-4	114	107	111-6
Oats—				
May	54-2	56-4	54-1	55-2
July	47-1	48-4	47	48-4
Sept.	50-2	52-6	50-1	51-4

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—After opening 1 to 1¾ cents lower to-day, the wheat market ran into some good buying shortly after trading got under way and prices advanced as much as three cents from the low point, but towards the close a slight reaction set in, final quotations showing a net gain of 1¼ cents for October, 1 cent for December and 1⅛ cents for May.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Oct.	124⅛	126⅝	123⅝	126⅛
Dec.	121	123⅝	120⅛	123⅝
May	126	127⅞	125⅝	128
Oats—				
Oct.	53⅝	55⅛	53⅛	55⅛
Dec.	50⅝	52⅝	50⅝	52⅛
May	53⅛	55⅝	53⅛	55⅝
Barley—				
Oct.	77⅝	79⅝	77⅝	79⅛
Dec.	..	..	..	72⅝
May	..	..	..	77⅛
Flax—				
Oct.	202⅛	207	202	205
Dec.	195	196⅝	194	196⅝
May	201⅝	204	200	203⅛
Rye—				
Oct.	82	84½	82	83⅝
Dec.	82⅝	84⅝	82⅝	83⅞
May	89	90	88⅛	88⅞

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 Nor., 135; 2 Nor., 130; 3 Nor., 127; No. 4, 118; No. 5, 107⅛; No. 6, 96⅛; feed, 88⅛; track, 132⅛.

Oats—2 C.W., 54⅛; 3 C.W., 52⅝; extra 1 feed, 52⅝; 1 feed, 51⅛; 2 feed, 49; rejected, 46; track, 54⅛.

Barley—3 C.W., 84⅝; 4 C.W., 82⅝; rejected, 78⅛; feed, 78⅛; track, 83⅛.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 235; track, 205.

Rye—2 C.W., 81⅛.

THIS WHEAT YIELD ESTIMATE HIGH

Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—Manitoba Free Press correspondents were asked the question. "What will wheat yield in your district?" From the answers received The Free Press says it would indicate about as follows: Manitoba, 22 ushels; Saskatchewan, 16 bushels; Alberta, 18 bushels.

Figuring the indicated acreage on the above figures it would make a crop of 350,000,000, or over, but this is considered here as somewhat high.

This is not The Free Press' own estimate, but is that of its correspondents. The Free Press estimate is expected to be published on September 2.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, AUGUST 27, 1924

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

	High	Low	Last
Allis Chalmers	65	63-4	63-4
Allied Chem.	74	73-2	73-2
Am. Bosch Mag.	27	27	27
Am. Can	135-1	131-6	131-7
Am. Car & Fdy.	167-2	167-2	167-2
Am. Intl. Corp.	28-1	27-3	27-7
Am. Locomotive	81	80-2	80-2
Am. Smelters	74-6	72-5	73-7
Am. Steel Fdy.	36-1	36-1	36-1
Am. Sugar	44-4	44-4	44-4
Am. Sum. Tob.	7-5	7-4	7-4
Am. Tel. & Tel.	137-6	137-3	137-3
Am. Tobacco	153-6	152	152
Am. Woolens	76-4	75-6	75-5
Anaconda	39-6	38-1	38-2
Atlantic Gulf	13-6	13-4	13-5
Atchison	104-1	104-1	104-1
Baldwin Loco.	123-4	121-2	121-6
Baltimore & Ohio	42-4	42	42-2
Bethlehem Steel	46-7	45-2	45-3
Brooklyn Manhattan	24-3	24	24
California Packing	88-2	88-2	88-2
California Pete.	21-5	21-4	21-4
Can. Pacific	149-5	148-1	148-1
Cast Iron Pipe	105	104	105-1
Cerro de Pasco	47	46-6	46-6
Central Leather	14	14	14
Chandler	41	39-6	41
Chesapeake & Ohio	85-6	85-1	85-4
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	16-2	15-6	15-6
Do., pref.	26-2	25-4	25-5
Chic. & Northwest	61-6	61-6	61-6
Chic. R.I. & Pac.	32-5	32	32
Chile Copper	34-2	33-7	33-7
Chino Copper	20-3	20-2	20-2
Coco Cola	77-4	76-5	76-7
Colo. Fuel & Iron	36-4	36-4	36-4
Col. Southern	34-4	34-4	34-4
Columbia Gas	39-5	39-4	39-4
Cons. Gas	70-7	70-2	70-7
Cont. Can	57-7	56-5	56-5
Corn Products	33-7	32-7	32-7
Cosden Oil	26-5	26	26
Cuba Am. Sugar	31-7	31-6	31-6
Cuba C. Sugar	13-4	13-4	13-4
Do., pref.	62-6	62-3	62-6
Crucible Steel	56-1	54-4	55-2
Davison Chem.	44-6	42-3	43-5
Del., Lack. & West.	135-4	133	133
Dupont Powder	130-4	129-1	130
Elec. Stor. Battery	56-4	56-4	56-4
Endicott Johnson	69	68	68
Erie	29	28-1	28-1
Do., 1st pref.	39-6	39-2	39-2
Famous Players	81	78-6	79-6
General Asphalt	42-2	42-5	43-2
Gen. Electric	276-1	269-2	269-5
Gen. Motors	15-7	14-6	14-7
Granby	13-5	13-4	13-5
Great North. Ore	29-6	29-6	29-6
Great North., pref.	65-4	65-2	65-2
Gulf States Steel	75-4	74-4	74-4
Houston Oil	72	70	70-1
Hupp Motor	12-6	12-6	12-6
Illinois Central	112	112	112
Inspiration	27-2	27-2	27-2
Int. Comb. Eng.	26-3	25-6	26
Int. Harv.	94-4	94-4	94-4
Int. Mer. Mar., pref.	40-2	38-7	39
Int. Nickel	18-7	17-7	18-6
Int. Paper	48-4	48-1	48-4
Invincible Oil	12-7	12-7	12-7
Julius Kayser	20-3	19-4	20-3
Kan. City South.	21	20-7	21
Kennecott Copper	47-2	46-6	47
Kelly Springfield	16-4	16	16
Keystone Tire	1-6	1-6	1-6
Kresge	42½	42½	42½
Lehigh Valley	54-7	54	54-6
Louis. & Nash.	98	98	98
Mack Truck	99	98	98-2
Maxwell Ap	57	55-5	55-5
Maxwell B.	15-2	14-6	15-2
Mex. Seaboard	21-2	21	21
Miami	23-1	23-1	23-1
Middle States Oil	1-3	1-3	1-3
Midvale Steel	29-6	29-6	29-6
Miss. Pacific	19-4	19	19
Do. pref.	53-3	52-1	52-1
Montgomery Ward	35-7	35-2	35-2
Moon Motor	24-3	23-6	24-1
National Enamel	21-2	19-4	20-2
National Lead	161	153	154-2
Nevada Cons.	14-1	14-1	14-1
Norfolk & West.	126-7	125-2	125-2
North American	28	27-7	27-7
Northern Pacific	65-1	65-1	65-1
N.Y. Central	108	107-1	107-1
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	24-6	23-5	23-7
N.Y., Ont. & West.	20	19-6	19-6
Packard Motor	11-7	11-5	11-7
Pacific Oil	47-2	46-3	46-4
Pan American	57	55-5	55-5
Do., B.	56	54-4	55
Pennsylvania R.R.	45	44-6	44-6
People's Gas	100-2	100-2	100-2
Pere Marquette	61	61	61
Phillips Pete.	33-5	32-7	33
Pierce Arrow	11	11	11
Producers & Ref.	29	28-6	28-6
Pullman Co.	126-4	126	126-3
Punta Allegre	53-5	52-4	52-5
Pure Oil	23-2	23	23-2
Rail Steel Spring	124	121-2	124
Ray Cons.	12-5	12-5	12-5
Reading	61-2	60-7	61
Replogle Steel	12	11-6	11-6
Rep. Iron & Steel	48-6	48-4	48-6
Royal Dutch	43	42-5	43
Savage Arms	55-4	54-4	54-4
Sears Roebuck	104-4	104	104
Shell Union	16-4	16-2	16-4
Sinclair Cons.	17-5	17-4	17-4
Sloss Sheffield	74	72-4	72-4
Southern Pac.	95-3	94-6	95
Southern Railway	69	68	68
Standard Oil Cal.	57-3	56-3	56-4
Standard Oil N.J.	34-5	34-2	34-3
Stewart Warner	53-4	52	52-1
Stromberg Carb.	65-1	65-1	65-1
Studebaker	38-7	38-2	38-4
Tennessee Copper	8-2	8-2	8-2
Texas Co.	41	40-7	40-7
Texas Gulf Sulphur	78-5	77-4	77-4
Texas Pacific R.R.	36-5	36	36
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	9-1	9-1	9-1
Timken Roller	34-5	34-3	34-3
Tobacco Prod.	64	64-2	64-4
Transcont. Oil	4-7	4-6	4-6
Union Pacific	144-4	142-7	144-3
U.S. Ind. Alco.	72	71-4	71-4
U.S. Rubber	35-2	34-3	34-3
U.S. Steel	110-1	108-6	109
U.S. Smelting	32-1	32	32
Utah Copper	79	78-7	79
Vanadium	24-6	24-6	24-6
Wabash	43	41-5	42-2
Western Union	112-2	112	112
Westing. Elec.	63-4	63	63-4
White Motor	63-6	62-4	62-4
Willys Overland	8-5	8-5	8-5
Wilson Packing	5-6	4-4	5
Woolworth	112-6	110-4	111-4

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Canadian sterling—Buying $4.47¼, selling $4.50¼.

Japanese yen 41.55 cents.

Chinese tael (Shanghai), 74.15 cents.

New York, Aug. 27.—Foreign exchanges firm. Quotations in cents.

Great Britain — Demand 448⅝; cables 449; 60-day bills on banks 446.

France — Demand 5.42; cables 5.42½.

Montreal, 99 31-32.

Italy—Demand 4.43; cables 4.43½.

Tokio—Demand 41 3-16.

Belgium — Demand 5.01½; cables 5.02.

Brazil—Demand 10.20.

Germany — Demand (per trillion) .23⅞.

Rumania—Demand .50¼.

Holland—Demand 38.69.

Argentine—Demand 33.87.

Norway—Demand 13.80.

Czecho-Slovakia—Demand 3.00.

Sweden—Demand 26.57.

Jugo-Slavia—Demand 1.25¼.

Denmark—Demand 16.18.

Austria—Demand .0014⅛.

Switzerland—Demand 18.76.

Spain—Demand 13.35.

Greece—Demand 1.85.

Poland—Demand 19¼.

Call money steady; high 2; low 2; ruling rate 2; closing bid 2; offered at 2¼; last loan 2; call loans against acceptances 1¾.

Time loans firm; mixed collateral 60-90 days 2½ @ 3; 4-6 months 3 @ 3½.

Prime commercial paper 3¼ @ 3½.

VICTORIA STOCKS

Interest in Silver Crest on the local market has been keen all week, with the stock surging up to a new high, and indications that the run will continue for some time yet. Terminus, Glacier Creek and L and L Glacier Creek are holding firm and also tending higher.

To-day's prices on the local market are:

	Bid	Asked
Mining—		
B'n'dry Red Mountain	$ .10	..
Bewena Copper	.10	..
Consolidated M. & S.	34.00	..
Cork Province	.05	..
Douglas Channel	..	.2
Dunwell Mines	..	5.50
Eldorado	..	.40
Glacier Creek	.40	.44
Granby	14.00	..
Hazelton Gold Cobalt	..	.02
Hemlock Creek Placer	..	.63
Howe Sound	2.75	2.50
Independence	..	.17
Indian Mines	.10	.15
International Coal	..	.12
McGillivray Coal	.65	.75
Premier Mines	2.10	2.25
Rufus	..	.15
Sheep Creek Cons.	..	.08½
Silver Crest Mines	..	.08
Silversmith	..	.40
Standard Silver Lead	..	.20
Sunloch Mines	.20	..
Surf Inlet Gold	..	.17
Terminus	..	.25
L. & L. Glacier	..	.16
Oils—		
Boundary Bay Oil	..	.06 1-16
Empire Oil	..	.00½
Spartan Oil	..	.00⅝
Sweetgrass	..	.00⅝
Trojan Oil	..	.05½
Utility Oil	..	.00⅝
B. C. Montana	..	.00⅝
Miscellaneous—		
Allen Theatre, pref.	19.00	..
B.C. Permanent Loan	87.00	..
Canada National Fire	..	45.00
C.P.R.	147.00	152.00
Great West. Perm. Loan	..	28.00
Gregory Tire & Rubber	..	2.00
B.C. Marine	..	100.00

VICTORY BONDS

VICTORIA PRICES

	Buy Per $100	Sell Per $100
Victory Loan 5½%—Tax Free		
1927 1st June and December	102.20	102.50
1933 1st May and November	105.25	105.75
1937 1st June and December	107.50	108.50
War Loan 5%		
1929 1st June and December	100.35	101.35
1931 1st April and October	100.95	101.95
1937 1st March and Sept.	102.85	103.85
(Payable New York)		
Victory Loan 5½%		
1924 1st May and November	99.70	100.70
1927 1st May and November	101.30	102.30
1932 1st May and November	102.85	103.85
1934 1st May and November	103.85	104.85
Dominion Loan 5%		
1928 15th April and October	99.65	100.65
1943 15th April and October	102.25	103.25

Add accrued interest to date: 1927, 1937, 87 days, $1.211 per $100; 1924, 1927, 1932, 1933, 1934, 118 days, $1.778 per $100; 1929, 1943, 134 days, $1.833 per $100.

Wholesale Market

Eggs	
Fresh extras, case lots, dozen	.41
Fresh firsts, case lots, dozen	.39
Pullets, case lots, dozen	.27
Butter	
Prints, special	.41
Prints, No. 1	.39
Prints, No. 2	.37
Dairy prints	.30
Cheese	
B.C. large, lb.	.21
B.C. triplets, lb.	.21½
Alberta solids, lb., new	.20
Ontario solids, lb., new, .22; matured	.24
Ontario twins, lb., new, .22½; matured	.24½
Ontario triplets, lb., new, .23; matured	.25
Stiltons, lb.	.27
Fresh Meats	
No. 1 steers, lb.	.12
No. 1 cows, lb.	.11
Veal, lb.	.13 to .14
Lamb, lb.	.20
Block hogs, lb.	.13½
Lard	
Tierces, per lb.	.16½
Compound, tierces, lb.	.16
Poultry—Dressed	
Springs, lb. (frozen)	.40
Broilers, lb.	.35
Fowl, light, lb.	.34
Fowl, heavy, lb.	.35
Smoked Meats	
Bacon—Plain, lb.	.19 to .28
Choice back, lb.	.24
Peameal, back, lb.	.28 to .32
Dry salt back, lb.	.19
Hams—No. 1, lb.	.32
Cooked, lb.	.35 to .41
Boneless, lb.	.30
Picnic, lb.	.14½
Rolled Shoulder, lb.	.18
Vegetables	
Beets, new, per sack	2.25
Cabbage, per lb.	.04 to .05
Carrots, new, per sack	4.25
Cauliflower (scarce), doz.	2.50 to 3.00
Cucumbers, hothouse, doz.	.40 to .50
Green Peas, per lb.	.07
Head Lettuce, local, crate	1.50
Onions, green, dozen	.35
Onions, Walla Walla, sack	4.00
Rhubarb, local	.03½
Potatoes, new, sack	1.80
Turnips, sack	1.75
Tomatoes, hothouse, No. 2	2.00
Fruits	
Apples—Gravensteins, Calif.	4.00
Wealthy, local	2.00 to 2.50
Bananas, lb.	.09 to .10
Grapefruit, Cal., crate	5.50 to 7.25
Lemons, case	6.50 to 6.50
Oranges, Valencias, according to size, per case	3.50 to 7.75
Plums	1.00 to 2.75
Peaches, table, crate	2.00
Elberta, preserving, per box	1.70
Watermelons, per lb.	.04
Crated	.05
Cantaloupes—Flats	2.10
Pears—Bartlett, imported	4.75
Bartlett, local	2.25 to 3.00
Casaba Melons, per lb.	.04

Montreal Stocks

(By R. P. Clark & Co.)

	High	Low	Last
Abitibi	59-7	59-7	59-7
Asbestos	30	30	30
Brompton Paper	46-6	46-6	46-6
Brazilian Traction	46-4	46-4	46-4
Can. Cement, com.	87	87	87
Can. Car Fdy, com.	45	45	45
Can. S.S., com.	12-6	12-6	12-6
Do., pref.	47-7	47-7	47-7
Can. Cottons	105	105	105
Can. Converters	77	77	77
Cons. M. & S.	42-4	42-4	42-4
Detroit United	29	29	29
Dom. Bridge	69-4	69-4	69-4
Dom. Canners	34-4	34-4	34-4
Dom. Textile	61-2	61-2	61-2
Laurentide Co.	89	89	89
National Breweries	56	56	56
Atlantic Sugar	15-4	15-4	15-4
Howard Smith	39	39	39
Penmans Limited	148	148	148
Shawinigan	136-4	136-4	136-4
Spanish River Pulp	110-2	110-2	110-2
Do., pref.	120	120	120
Steel of Can.	76-4	76-4	76-4
Montreal Power	..	..	174-6
Dominion Glass	..	..	112
Wayagamac Pulp	35-7	35-7	35-7

SILVER

New York, Aug. 27.—Bar silver, 68⅝; Mexican dollars, 52⅝.

London, Aug. 27.—Bar silver, 34 5-16d. per ounce. Money, 3½ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 3¾ per cent.; three months' bills, 3⅝ to 3 13-16 per cent.

NEW YORK COTTON

(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Open	High	Low	Close
March	24.65	24.19	24.30	24.30
May	25.02	25.11	24.46	24.46
July	24.45	24.45	23.95	23.95
Oct.	25.00	25.05	24.42	24.42
Dec.	24.65	24.72	24.00	24.07
Jan.	24.62	24.65	23.95	23.97

RAW SUGAR CLOSE

(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

September	3.68
March	3.36
December	3.78
May	3.44
January	3.46
October	3.78

SUGAR

New York, Aug. 27.—Raw sugar, 5.46 to 5.53; refined, 6.80 to 7.00.

Frederick O. Mitchell, Toronto, first vice-president and assistant general manger of William Davies Company Limited, one of the most prominent men in Canadian packing and provision trade circles, is this year celebrating twenty years continuous association with his firm. Mr. Mitchell began as a junior clerk in 1904. He is also vice - president of William Davies Company Incorporated, Chicago.

Retail Market

Vegetables	
Garlic, lb.	.30
Cauliflowers	.15 to .30
Parsley, bunch	.05
New Local Potatoes, 10 lbs. for	.25
Cal. Green Peas, 3 lbs. for	.25
Hothouse Cucumbers, each ..20, .10	.30
Local Hothouse Tomatoes, lb.	.50
Green Corn, per dozen	.05
Mint	.10
Carrots, .05, 3 for	.05
Leeks, per bunch	.05
Australian Grapes, per lb.	.05
Vegetable Marrows, lb.	.05
Broad Beans, lb.	.10
Fresh Celery, stick	.10
String Beans, lb.	.10
New Beets, .05 bunch, 3 for	
Fruits	
Pineapples, each	.35 and .50
Cantaloupe Melons, each	.15 and .20
Table Raisins, Spanish	.25 and .75
Malaga Grapes, lb.	.15
Dates, per lb.	.15
Bananas, per lb.	.10
Lemons, Cal., dozen	.20, .30 and .40
Prunes, 2 lbs. for .25, 3 lbs. for .35, 2 lbs. for .45, and, lb.	.20
Turban Dates, packet	.15
Florida Grapefruit, each	.10 and .12½
Grapefruit, California, four for	.25
California Peaches, per dozen	.40
California Plums, per lb.	.20
Local Plums, .15 lb., basket	.60
Honey Dew Melons, per lb.	.10
Cal. Plums, lb.	.20
Peaches, per dozen	.40
Freestone Peaches, box	1.75
Watermelon, lb.	.05
Local Raspberries, 2 boxes	.25
Local Loganberries, 2 boxes	.25
Valencia Oranges, per dozen, .60, .50, .40, .30 and	.20
Washington Pears, per dozen	.50
Tomatoes, Kelowna, per lb.	.15
Cal. Gravenstein Apples, per lb.	.15
Local Apples, 4 lbs. for	.25
Nuts	
Almonds, per lb.	.35
Walnuts, per lb.	.35
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.	.45
Brazils, per lb.	.25 and .30
Filberts, per lb.	.30
Roasted Peanuts, per lb.	.15
Cocoanuts	.10 and .15
Chestnuts, lb.	.25
Dairy Produce and Eggs	
Butter—	
No. 1 Alberta, lb.	.40
Comox, lb.	.60
V.I.M.P.A., lb.	.60
Cowichan Creamery, lb.	.60
Salt Spring Island, lb.	.55
Pure Lard, lb.	.20
Eggs—	
B.C. fresh, extras	.45
B.C. fresh, firsts	.42
B.C. fresh, pullets	.38
Cheese	
B.C. Cream Cheese, lb.	.42
B.C. Solids, lb.	.36
Finest Ontario mild, per lb.	.35
Finest Ontario matured, per lb.	.35
Edam Dutch Cheese, lb.	.50
Gouda Cheese, lb.	.45
Gorgonzola, lb.	.75
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.70
English Stilton, jar	.90
Stiltons, lb.	.35
Imported Roquefort, lb.	.85
Swiss Gruyere, box	.70
Eagle Brand Camembert, box	.65
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese, two packages	.75
Fish	
Bloaters, 2 lbs.	.25
Cod Fillets, lb.	.20
Halibut, lb.	.25
Soles, lb., .15; 2 lbs. for	.25
Black Cod, fresh, lb.	.15
Skate, lb.	.10
Cod, lb.	.15
Kippers, lb.	.15
Finnan Haddies, lb.	.20
Smoked Black Cod	.25
Whiting	.15
Smoked Salmon, lb.	.25
Red Salmon, lb., .25, or 2 lbs.	.40
White Salmon, 2 lbs.	.25
Small Whole Salmon, lb.	.10
Small Red Salmon, lb.	.15
Shell Fish	
Crabs	.15, .20 to .25
Shrimps, lb.	.30
Fresh Meats	
Pork—	
Trimmed loins, per lb.	.30
Legs, per lb.	.27
Shoulder roasts, per lb.	.30
Pork Sausage, per lb.	.27
No. 1 Beef—	
Sirloin steak, per lb.	.32
Round steak, per lb.	.32
Pot roasts, per lb.	.27
Rump roasts, per lb.	.32
Spring Lamb—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.26
Legs, per lb.	.40
Loins, full, per lb.	.35
Prime Mutton—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.22
Legs, per lb.	.30
Loins, full, per lb.	.30
Flour	
Standard Grades, 49-lb. sack	2.10
Feed	Per ton / Per 100
Wheat, No. 1	$44.00 / $2.30
Barley	40.00 / 2.10
Ground Barley	42.00 / 2.20
Oats	43.00 / 2.25
Crushed Oats	45.00 / 2.35
Whole Corn	46.00 / 2.40
Straw	22.00 / 1.20
Alfalfa Hay	34.00 / 1.80
Feed Corn Meal	48.00 / 2.50
Alfalfa Meal	46.00 / 2.40

LIBRARIANS TO AID SURVEY

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double names for the same books and making of promises which there is no intention to fulfil were all referred, it being a surprise that there were so many types of deception to mislead prospective purchasers.

SCHOOL LIBRARIES

The splendid service given by the Parent-Teacher Associations in British Columbia in building up school libraries was the subject of reference by President John Ridington.

Mr. Ridington stated that annual grants from $100 to $200 were building up school libraries in Vancouver, and district. He understood considerable progress had been made in Victoria and said he was aware that the relation of the Victoria public library to the schools had been intimate nd advantageous to the schools.

The reports from Washington and Oregon showed provision of small appropriations out of public funds for school purposes, but a very fluctuating measure of achievement.

BOOKS IN ALASKA

That people in the outskirts of civilization in Alaska appreciated the service of libraries was shown in a report to the convention from Miss Cornelia E. Marwin of Salem, Oregon. She outlined the method of distribution of books in Alaska, at many outlying points.

Even at points as remote as Point Barrow books had been sent from the Seattle Public Library, it was reported. Juneau, Ketchikan, and Skagway had libraries and another had recently been established at Sitka. It was reported that the Seattle library had done much to aid the library movement in Alaska.

WAR RECORDS

Very little progress is being made in Washington, Oregon and British Columbia in collecting data on war records, wrote J. M. Hitt, of the state library, Olympia, in alluding to the fact that there was little interest shown, except by mothers of war veterans.

INTERCHANGE OF CARDS

A lengthy discussion took place on a report from Miss Sarah Virginia Lewis, of the Seattle Public Library, with regard to inter-library identification and registration. It was suggested that the unexpired term of a card might be used elsewhere on production, in case of transfer, or else a transfer card could be issued at the time of departure to another place. Some delegates thought the problem would be complicated by the different cards used in the various libraries. A compromise motion was adopted to accept the report, and leave details to the individual library boards and librarians.

ASSOCIATION PROGRESS

That the Association had made good progress in the past year was shown by the reports of the secretary, Ralph Munn, Public Library, Seattle, and Miss Elena A. Clancy, Public Library, Tacoma, the treasurer. By not touching the surplus for convention purposes, it was reported that the Association had managed to have a sum of $673 in the bank, and the Executive asked the opinion of the members whether authority should not be given to spend some of this fund on necessary convention expenses.

President Ridington said the small expense at this convention was due entirely to the courtesy of the manager of the Empress Hotel, who had placed the most ample accommodation at the disposal of the Association, for its meetings, and committees. Thanks to the generosity of the Provincial Government, and the City of Victoria, the post-conference entertainment had been rendered possible without expense to the convention, and according to Mr. Munn, such assistance from the authorities on the American side was unfortunately too rare.

Thanks were accorded to Miss Alma Russell and the local committee of which she is chairman, for the arrangements.

MIGRATORY BIRDS CONVENTION ACT

Open and Closed Seasons For British Columbia

Following is a summary of the Migratory Birds Convention Act as it affects British Columbia. The district officer is J. A. Munro, 1060 St. David Street, Oak Bay, and inquiries may be addressed to him or to the Commissioner of Canadian National Parks, Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

Open seasons (both days inclusive):

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Ducks, Geese, Brant or Rails—Northern and Eastern Districts, September 15 to December 30.

Ducks and Rails—Western District South of the 53rd parallel of latitude, October 15 to January 29.

Geese and Brant—Western District South of the 53rd parallel of latitude, November 8 to February 23.

Wilson or Jacksnipe, Blackbellied and Golden Plovers and the Greater and Lesser Yellow-Legs—Northern and Eastern District, September 15 to December 30; Western District North of the 53rd parallel of latitude, September 13 to December 28; Western District South of the 53rd parallel of latitude, October 1 to January 15.

CLOSED SEASONS

There is a closed season in the Province of British Columbia on swans, wood duck, eider duck, cranes, curlew, willet, goodwits, upland plover, avocets, dowitchers, knots, oyster-catchers, phalaropes, stilts, surfbirds, turnstones, and all the shore birds not provided with an open season in above schedule.

There is a closed season throughout the year on the following non-game birds: Auks, auklets, bitterns, fulmars, gannets, grebes, guillemots, gulls, herons, jaegers, loons, murres, petrels, puffins, shearwaters and terns, and there is a closed season throughout the year on the following insectivorous birds: Bobolinks, catbirds, chickadees, cuckoos, flickers, flycatchers, grosbeaks, hummingbirds, kinglets, martins, meadowlarks, nighthawks or bull bats, nuthatches, orioles, robins, shrikes, swallows,

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GREAT War Veterans' Association excursion to Everett—Princess Adelaide leaves Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 1, 9 a.m. Fares: Adults, $2.50; children 5 to 12 years, $1.25. Dancing and concert party. Pipe Band. Information, phones 1355 or 3777. Tickets C.P.R. Offices only. 2281-3-53

IF your watch does not give satisfaction it being it to "The Jewel Box," 609 Fort Street, cor. Government Street. Work guaranteed. Cleaning, $1; mainsprings, $1. 8

MILITARY 500, Thursday, Aug. 28, 8.30, 1230 Government Street. Fourteen scrip prizes; tombola band. 3314-2-50

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ENGINEERS schooled for certificates. W. G. Winterburn, 225 Central Bldg. tf-16

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE

SPECIAL CLASSES for Supplementary Examinations for High School, McGill and B.C. Matriculation starting July 21. Special Commercial and Secretarial Courses also. Telephone 28 for particulars. Sprott-Shaw School, James H. Beatty, manager.

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CRANLEIGH HOUSE SCHOOL, the Willows. C. V. Milton, A.C.P. Phone 4406. Next terms starts September 10. tf

CROSBY SCHOOL, 1137 Rockland—Boarding and day school for junior girls. Autumn term opens September 4. Apply E. P. Gulland. 3075-26-57

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LOST—Last Friday, on Saanich Road, lady's bag with Bible inside; also lost a brown leather Bible on Blanshard Street. Return to Old Country Shoe Store, 635 Johnson Street. 000-1-49

LOST—Motorcycle license No. 176. Finder phone Gordon Head 8L. 1106-2-49

LOST—Between Victoria West and Lampson Street, ermine neckpiece. Reward. Phone 5578R1. 1104-2-49

LOST—Blue beaded bag containing jewelry, about Aug. 15. Phone 4259R. Reward. 3299-2-49

LOST—Wire-haired fox terrier dog, about 8 months, leggy, short tail, answers name of Scamp, has small scar on chest. Please return Mrs. R. F. Castle, 1320 Manor Road. Reward. 1108-2-49

LOST—Fawn brush-wool vest sweater, about 8.45 this morning, between Fairfield and business districts. Finder return to Times Office or call 1030. Reward. 2-50

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In the Matter of the Estate of John Fraser, Deceased,
and
In the Matter of the "Administration Act"

Notice is hereby given that under an Order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Murphy, dated the 13th day of August, A.D. 1924, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the above named deceased, with the Will annexed. All parties having claims against the said Estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 26th day of September, A.D. 1924, and all parties indebted to the said Estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 25th day of August, A.D. 1924.

R. L. COX,
Official Administrator.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Notice to Contractors

Erection of 110-ft. Steel Span at Haslam Creek, near Cassidy Siding, Vancouver Island.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Haslam Creek Bridge," will be received by the Honorable the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Monday, the 8th day of September, 1924, for the erection of a 110-ft. Steel Span over Haslam Creek, near Cassidy Siding, Vancouver Island.

Plans, specifications, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 23rd day of August, 1924, at the Department of Public Works, Victoria, and at the Public Works Office, Court House, Vancouver.

Copies of plans, specifications, etc., can be obtained from the undersigned on payment of a deposit of $10.00, which will be refunded on return of the plans, etc., in good condition.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of $250.00, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so. The cheques of the unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

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P. PHILIP,
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and now the brothers come along with another new rule which does away with offsides except when crossing the sections. This will eliminate a lot of squabbling by the spectators, who always claimed that a goal scored against them was offside, while anything that was scored for them was O.K. even if it was ten feet offside.

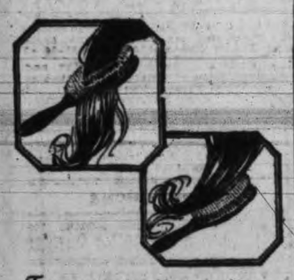
Interest now will centre upon the composition of the Victoria and Vancouver teams. Seattle has been counted out, and this will put ten additional men at the disposal of the Patrick Brothers. No doubt trades will be made with the prairie clubs, but it is certain that both Frank and Lester will see to it that their own clubs are at the peak of perfection.

The most prominent of the Seattle players are Happy Holmes, their goalie; Frank Foyston, Jack Walker, Jim Riley, Gordon Fraser and Reg MacFarlane, the long rangy kid who came along well last year. "Smoky" Harris and Bobby Rowe are veterans who have served the Coast League well since its inception in 1912, but are almost at the end of their carers. Fisher and Jack Arbor are the other members of the club.

REMOULDING TEAMS

On their play last year Holmes and Fraser would look nice in Victoria uniforms, but it is hard to tell just what disposition will be made of the players. The remoulding of the Victoria and Vancouver teams will be watched with interest. On last year's play Vancouver was strong defensively, while Victoria was weak. Lehman, Duncan and Cook presented a hard defence for the Maroons, while with Fowler and Halderson off their game the Cougars were weak in front of the goal. On the forward line Victoria was the best due to the rapid way in which "Gizzy" Hart came along. Frederickson was not up to stand, while the arrival of Briden gave the club a punch. Vancouver has the flashy but not consistent MacKay, the poke-checking Boucher and the rugged, bouncing boy, Skinner, as regulars.

With thirty players on hand to build up two teams the Patricks will no doubt present the prairie clubs with plenty of opposition this Winter.



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2.00—C. M. Roberts 19 and R. J. A. O'Reilly 19.

NEW CLUB SEEKING BERTH IN NATIONAL HOCKEY THIS YEAR

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a possibility of three new faces in Barber-Pole uniforms this year. Simpson, Smith and Joe Ironside, Sudbury, who signed up at the end of the season last year, local fans are looking forward to a highly colorful season.

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Shown dispatches yesterday stating that Joe Simpson of the Edmonton Eskimos, was coming to the Ottawa Senators in exchange for Frank Nighbor, the local centre player and that Reg. Hooley Smith of the Canadian Olympic team had signed up with the Senators, Tommy Gorman, manager of the Ottawa Club, said, he could not confirm either of the reports yet.

STONE EASY WINNER

Philadelphia, Aug. 27.—Ed Stone, Philadelphia light heavyweight, won from Mike Conroy of Rochester, N.Y., in the seventh round of a scheduled ten-round bout here last night when Conroy's seconds tossed a towel into the ring as a token of defeat.

Nate Goldman of Philadelphia, won a keenly contested semi-final bout from Sid Barbarian of Detroit.

Joe Dundee of Baltimore, was awarded the judge's decision over Bud Christiano of Philadelphia, in a ten-round bout.

Los Angeles, Aug. 27.—K. Cusker, former hockey star of Canada, and lately connected with the Dreamland Ring at San Francisco, has been obtained by the Los Angeles Ice Skating Association as host and instructor for their new ice rink to be built here.

Toronto, Aug. 27.—Local sport writers do not think Nighbor will go West to play hockey. The Globe says: "St. Patrick's will hardly waive on the poke-check king. In fact, an officer of the Irishmen said there was not a chance of Nighbor getting away from the National Hockey League. If Ottawa asks waivers St. Patricks will put in a claim for him."

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CLUB PROBLEMS ARE DISCUSSED AT WALLA WALLA

Vancouver Kiwanis Club Won First Prize in Efficiency Contest

Walla Waalla, Aug. 27.—Delegates from the forty-eight clubs of the Pacific Northwest District of Kiwanis Club International opened a two-day convention here yesterday in the open-air amphitheatre of Whitman College. Business sessions were held in the morning and afternoon and luncheon and dinner were served in the State Armory.

The business session in the forenoon was concerned with a discussion of local club administrative problems. The feature of the afternoon's business session was the consideration of an intensified programme of activity on behalf of the under-privileged children of communities in which Kiwanis is established. Alfred Foremar, president of the Vancouver, B.C., club presented a detailed plan of aiding and encouraging boys between the ages of eight and twelve who have been rendered fatherless. The Vancouver Club won the first prize in the 1923 international efficiency contest, in competition with the 1,200 other club, because of the effective work accomplished in connection with assistance to under-privileged children.

Speaking at the noon luncheon Everett J. Smith, president of the Walla Walla Rotary Club, emphasized the similarity of the ideals of the different civic-service clubs. The banquet in the evening was presided over by J. Johnston, president of the New Westminster, B.C., club, and was addressed by Dean Herbert T. J. Coleman, of the University of British Columbia, and Leslie Henry, International Trustee from Pasadena, Cal.

The opera "Mikado" was presented in the Whitman College amphitheatre in the evening under the direction of Howard Pratt, of the Conservatory of Music. The visiting ladies were entertained at luncheon and a tea and musicale by the wives of the local Kiwanians.

WILL DECIDE FATE OF OLD BUILDINGS

All Members of Council Will Sit on Board of Inquiry Friday

The fate of old buildings and dilapidated fences in the city reported on a list of buildings submitted to the council several weeks ago will be decided at a board of inquiry on condemned buildings which will open at the city hall Friday, with all the members of the council sitting as members.

There are between sixty and seventy buildings and fences on the list owned by fifty-four different property owners, and the owners have been invited to state what they will do to place them in order so that they can be saved from destruction.

It is possible that a number of the buildings will be saved on an assurance from the owners that they will place them in better order within a specified time, but a number will probably be ordered destroyed.

TWO BURNED TO DEATH

St. Hilaire de Madawasca, Que., Aug. 27.—Antoine Albert, thirty, married, and his brother, Lionel, fifteen, when sleeping in a barn near here were burned to death yesterday. It is thought one of the men got up to smoke and later slept. Two other men sleeping in the barn escaped. The barn was destroyed.

Vancouver Island News

FIELD DAY AT CUMBERLAND

Successful Gathering is Promised on Monday For Mine Rescue Work

Cumberland, Aug. 27—The ninth annual field day of the Vancouver Island Mine Safety Association will be held on the Recreation Grounds, Cumberland, on Monday, September 1, where a demonstration of Mine rescue work and first aid to the injured will be given under the auspices of the above association, and teams are expected from all the coal mining centres on Vancouver Island to take part in the competition.

The following trophies will be competed for:

The V.I.M.S.A. Shield with first and second prizes.

The B.C. Department of Mines Cup with first and second prizes.

The Coulson Cup, with first and second prizes.

The V.I.M.S.A. Ladies' Cup with first and second prizes.

The V.I.M.S.A. Boys' Junior Cup with first and second prizes.

One-man events, with first and second prizes.

Two-men events with first and second prizes.

In addition to the above there will be a good day of children's sports. A splendid programme has been arranged by the local committee who took charge of the children's sports at the Canadian Collieries' annual picnic a few weeks ago.

There will also be a Boy Scout Demonstration during the day. A company of Boy Scouts under the charge of the Rev. W. Leversedge will give a demonstration of tent pitching, rope knots, cooking and various other things in connection with Boy Scouts while camping.

In the evening a free concert commencing at 8 o'clock will be given in the Ilo-Ilo Dance Hall, during which the Hon. Wm. Sloan, Minister of Mines, will present the prizes to the successful competitors, and will address the audience on the value of mine rescue and first aid work. P. P. Harrison, member-elect for the Comox Electoral District, will also be present and give a short address.

The day's programme will be finished by a dance in the Ilo-Ilo Dance Hall, after the concert.

The Cumberland City Band will be in attendance during the day.

VISITING TENNIS PLAYERS GREETED

Special to The Times

Duncan, Aug. 26—A very delightful day was spent on the Duncan Lawn Tennis Club grounds on Monday, when a team of tennis players from Victoria and Vancouver met a team of Cowichan players chosen by F. L. Kingston. The latter made a most creditable showing against their more experienced opponents, winning ten out of the twenty-four matches played.

The executive of the Duncan Lawn Tennis Club kindly loaned the grounds for the occasion, and a delicious luncheon and tea were served under the direction of Mrs. Dawson-Thomas, Miss Dawson-Thomas and Mrs. W. E. Corfield.

The full list of matches and scores follow:—

Ladies' Singles

Miss Marjorie Leeming, Victoria, defeated Mrs. Hickes, S. Cowichan, 6-3, 6-2.

Miss Mary Campbell, Victoria, defeated Mrs. Curtis-Hayward, S. Cowichan, 6-4, 2-6, 8-6.

Miss M. Tatlow, Vancouver, defeated Miss Geoghehan, Duncan, 6-1, 6-2.

Mrs. W. E. Christmas, Duncan, defeated Miss Hope Leeming, Victoria, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4.

Miss Peggy Hodgins, Victoria, defeated Miss Considine, Duncan, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Miss Bond, Duncan, defeated Miss Peggy Jackson, Victoria, 7-5, 7-5.

Men's Singles

D. N. Gordon, Victoria, defeated N. Corfield, Duncan, 9-7, 6-3.

V. Westwood, Vancouver, defeated F. L. Kingston, Duncan, 6-2, 7-5.

W. E. Corfield, S. Cowichan, defeated J. Meredith, Victoria, 7-5, 6-4.

J. Cunningham, Victoria, defeated W. Christmas, Duncan, 6-4, 5-7, 6-3.

H. St. G. Stepney, S. Cowichan, defeated W. Merston, Victoria, 6-3, 3-6, 6-0.

H. L. Finlayson, S. Cowichan, defeated H. A. Mann, Victoria, 6-1, 6-2.

Ladies' Doubles

Miss M. Leeming and Miss Tatlow defeated Mrs. Hickes and Mrs. Curtis-Hayward, 6-3, 8-6.

Miss Hope Leeming and Miss Campbell defeated Mrs. Christmas and Miss Geoghehan, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3.

Miss Considine and Miss Fitzgerald defeated Miss Jackson and Miss Hodgins, 6-2, 4-6, 6-2.

Men's Doubles

Gordon and Westwood defeated N. Corfield and Kingston, 6-2, 6-3.

Meredith and Cunningham defeated W. E. Corfield and Christmas, 7-5, 6-3, 11-9.

Stepney and Finlayson defeated Merston and Mann, 6-2, 6-3.

Mixed Doubles

Miss M. Leeming and Gordon defeated Mrs. Hickes and Kingston, 6-0, 6-3.

Miss Campbell and Westwood defeated Mrs. Curtis-Hayward and N. Corfield, 6-2, 6-0.

Miss Tatlow and Meredith defeated Mr. and Mrs. Christmas, 6-3, 7-5.

Miss Fitzgerald and W. E. Corfield defeated Miss H. Leeming and Cunningham, 6-1, 6-3.

Miss Considine and Finlayson defeated Miss Hodgins and Merston, 6-4, 6-4.

Miss Geoghehan and Stepney defeated Miss Jackson and Mann, 6-3, 6-3.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT HELD AT LADYSMITH

Special to The Times

Ladysmith, Aug. 27.—Some good matches were played in the tennis tournament held by the local club last week. Those reaching the finals were:

Ladies' singles, Miss D. Bryant and Mrs. Morrison.

Ladies' doubles, Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Morrison; Miss Bryant and Miss Hill.

Gentlemen's singles, G. Dickson and V. Lauderbach.

Gentlemen's doubles, A. Thomas and F. Wago; Stanley and O'Shea.

The finals and also the mixed doubles are to be played this week.

Frank Smith of the Department of Lands, Victoria, paid a visit to Oyster District to-day, and expects to be in Ladysmith for a day or two.

Alex. Stevens and Mrs. Stevens of Victoria accompanied Mr. and Mrs. W. Holland on a motor trip to Ladysmith and Nanaimo to see the baseball game between Courtenay and Victoria C.P.R.'s.

The oil shed belonging to the Canadian Collieries, situated on the waterfront, was burned to the ground on Sunday night, but little stock was lost, the bulk of the oil being kept at Extension.

William Simpson of Ladysmith, has been appointed to the position of afternoon shift boss at the Extension mines.

RUG MAKING TO BE DEMONSTRATED

Special to The Times

Luxton—There was an excellent attendance at the monthly meeting of the Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute, which was held Tuesday afternoon. The president, Mrs. R. Brown, occupied the chair.

Great satisfaction was expressed at the report of the Flower Show held the previous week at the Luxton Hall, which had proved a great success, the members all expressing their determination to do even better next year.

Following discussion of a communication from the Luxton Hall committee, the institute agreed to act as the entertainment committee for the hall. A sub-committee consisting of Mesdames Brown, Brice, Batchelor, Parmiter, Stockand, Francis, Richards and Madder was appointed to arrange for a dance to take place on September 12.

Mrs. H. A. Baxter, convener for home economics, will take charge of the September meeting, which will deal with that subject, and Mrs. McLeod will give a demonstration on rug making.

Afternoon tea, served by the hostesses for the afternoon, Mrs. Lowe and Mrs. McLeod, brought a very busy and pleasant afternoon to a close.

Steamshovel Hit Dynamite and Five Men Were Injured

Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 27.—When the scoop of the steamshovel in front of which they were working at the quarry of the Canadian Crushed Stone Company yesterday struck and exploded a charge of dynamite, five employees received severe injuries. That none was killed was remarkable.

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DAILY RADIO PROGRAMMES

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27

CFCT—Victoria City Temple

At 8 p.m.—Concert programme broadcast by the studio of Fletcher Bros., Victoria, B.C.: Soprano solos—(a) "Robin in the Apple Tree" (Hewitt), (b) "Thora" (Adams), Ethel Ruby Barnes; tenor solos—(a) "Bedouin Love Song" (Pinsuti), (b) "Mary" (Richardson), Maurice Thomas; mandolin solo—"Valse Espagnole," Lillian Attfield; contralto solos—(a) "Slave Song" (del Riego), (b) "Coolan Dhu" (Leoni), Nora Jones; address—"The Early History of Victoria," George I. Warren; soprano solos—"The Pipes of Pan Are Calling" (Monckton), (b) "Roses" (Adams), Ethel Ruby Barnes; mandolin solo, "Angel's Serenade" (Braga), Lillian Attfield; tenor solos—(a) "Veteran's Song" (Adams), (b) "Erin's Isle" (Zamecik), Maurice Thomas; contralto solos—(a) "Softly Awakes My Heart" (Samson and Delilah), (b) "Down in the Forest" (Ronald), Nora Jones; mandolin solo, "Miserere" (Il Trovatore), Lillian Attfield.

KPO—Hale Bros., San Francisco; 423 Metres

From 4.30 to 5.30 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel Orchestra, broadcast by wire telephony.

From 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.—Children's hour. Stories by Big Brother of KPO, taken from the Book of Knowledge.

From 7 to 7.30 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel Orchestra, broadcast by wire telephony.

At 8.20 p.m.—French conversational course directed by Edna K. Barker. Instruction by Marie Louise Boutin, director College Francaise, San Francisco. Lesson 1, Chart 1.

From 8 to 10 p.m.—Piano solos.

KFI—Earle C. Anthony Inc., Los Angeles; 469 Metres

From 6.45 to 7.30 p.m.—Detective stories and vocal concert.

From 7.30 to 8 p.m.—"Mammy" Simmons and Crosby Sisters.

From 8 to 9 p.m.—Evening Herald—Frank Carr's Orchestra.

From 9 to 10 p.m.—Programme from Examiner studio.

From 10 to 11 p.m.—Hollywood Community Orchestra.

From 11 to 12 p.m.—Ambassador Cocoanut Grove Orchestra.

KHJ—Los Angeles Times, Los Angeles; 395 Meters

From 6 to 6.30 p.m.—Art Hickman's Concert Orchestra from the Biltmore Hotel.

From 6.30 to 7.30 p.m.—Children's programme; Prof. W. S. Hertzog telling stories of American History. Dick Winslow, screen juvenile. Bedtime story by Uncle John.

From 8 to 9.30 p.m.—Programme presented through the courtesy of the Platt Music Company.

From 9.30 to 10 p.m.—Programme presenting Dr. Mars Baumgart, lecturer. Filipino String Orchestra playing through the courtesy of the Blue Bird Cafeteria.

From 10 to 11 p.m.—Art Hickman's dance orchestra from the Biltmore Hotel.

KFOA—Rhodes Department Store, Seattle; 455 Metres

At 8.30 p.m.—A varied programme of vocal and instrumental music and readings has been arranged by Anna Mrowzinski Child, dramatic soprona.

KGW—Morning Oregonian, Portland; 492 Metres

At 8 p.m.—Concert.

At 10 p.m.—Dance music by George Olsen's Metropolitan Orchestra of Hotel Portland.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 28

KPO—Hale Bros'. Radio Station, San Francisco; 423 Metres

From 1 to 2 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel Orchestra, broadcast by wire telephony.

From 2.30 to 3.30 p.m.—Programme under management of Alice McClelland.

The Surprising Sex

By MILDRED BARBOUR—Author of "Love Stakes," Etc.

He spoke with difficulty, a whisper that Blake had to bend forward to catch.

"Take—Julie—the letter — unfinished manuscript—"

His eyes closed. His fear was realized. Death had summoned him before his great book was finished.

Julie, with a wild, broken sob, flung herself across the lifeless body. After that single outburst, she was as quiet as though death had claimed her, too.

Five days later, when the storm had cleared and the sunlight on the white drifts was almost unbearably dazzling, Blake sat with Julie in the familiar sitting room. The deep chair on the opposite side of the fireplace was empty and somehow their eyes avoided it. The mantel clock struck te tea hour, but Julie made no move toward the kitchen.

In her simple black gown, she looked scarcely fifteen, a child alone, forlorn, with mute terror in her topaz eyes.

"You know of course, Julie," Blake spoke gently, "that this house and garden didn't belong to your father? It was leased from the Bennetts, and they want to live here themselves."

She nodded, without lifting her eyes. Her slim shoulders drooped with their weight of grief.

"I'm glad. I shouldn't want to stay here, even if it were mine. It would be too cruel—alone—with just a memory."

Blake watched her compassionately. After a minute he said:

"Julie, would you like to go away to school—to boarding school, or college?"

There was sharp terror now in her eyes.

"Oh, no, no!" she cried. "Please—I couldn't bear it! I've been here alone with Dad so long. I'm afraid of strangers, of other girls. They'd laugh at me because I don't know how to talk to them. And I would never be able to keep up at school. You see Dad taught me all I know, except for a few years at grammar school. I can read Latin and Greek as well as English, and I know all about literature and art and history. But I could never do artithmetic, or sciences—or grammar ——"

She leaned toward him pleadingly.

"Dad said I was to do whatever you told me to, but—oh, please—don't send me away!"

"Your father wished me to act as your guardian, Julie," he told her gently, "and I will do everything I can to make you happy. I am going to take you to my home, and Mrs. Ames will look after you while I am in Washington."

DIFFERING OPINIONS

What Ann Denniston thought about Blake's unofficial adoption of Julie Latimer proved a spicy morsel for gossiping tongues in the weeks that followed.

Mrs. Kearney, who had complete entree to the Denniston household at all hours and under all conditions, reported that Anna "looked glum" and "nearly took a body's head off over nothing at all." Other curious callers noted that she exhibited at times an unfilial snappiness toward her invalid mother which changed, apparently with swift contrition, to an exaggerated tenderness.

The winding up of Latimer's affairs and other readjustments incident, upon his death, and left Blake no time for communication with Anna, and when she met him by accident downtown on the day before his belated departure for Washington, there was, to both their consciousnesses, a distinct sense of anti-climax.

The wind-swept main street with its bustling passers-by—not too hurrying to be above curiosity—was a vastly different setting from the quiet firelit room, isolated by the storm into a lovers' paradise. Anna, swathed to shapelessness in furs, was good to look upon, with her cheeks whipped to flame by the wind. But she hadn't the same piquant allure of the woman who kept the rendezvous in the silent house, with white arms and red lips waiting to trap a man who went against his own considerable will.

Blake, swept that night from his steady moorings by tumultous forces, was not quite sure of all that had transpired. He was indistinctly aware that he had not asked Anna to be his wife. But somehow it had come about that Anna expected them to marry some day when her mother had departed, with her objections, to a heavenly home.

In spite of her vexation at the accidental meeting in a public square, Anna handled the situation with a deftness characteristically hers. She was too wise a woman to attempt a reference to a tender episode at such a time. So she only extended a friendly hand and said, in a matter-of-fact voice as if they had met just yesterday:

"Too bad you've been delayed getting to Washington. Will it be a frightful inconvenience at the other end?"

"I don't think so. Even if it was, I shouldn't begrudge any sacrifice made for my old friend."

She lifted her brows.

"An admirable sentiment, John. But don't you think you're going it a bit strong, this taking a child into your house? It's asking a good deal of friendship."

He shrugged.

"I'm afraid I don't agree with you. I'm the only logical person to care for Julie. Latimer was like a father to me and she has no relatives, you know."

"Not even" Anna paused significantly.

"Her mother was an orphan," answered Blake shortly.

"Oh! So you're going to take up a life job?"

The line between his brows deepened sharply, but he forced a smile.

"I have an idea that my period of guardianship will be brief. Julie's a beauty, and the boys have already discovered it."

It was Anna's turn to frown, but she said lightly:

"Really? I never saw her but once. Somebody pointed her out on the street. Singular looking little thing. Is she—er—quite competent mentally."

The anger that flashed in Blake's eyes startled her. She hastened to amend:

"I mean—er—is she eccentric like her father?"

"Latimer was the most brilliant man it has ever been my fortune to meet," Blake's voice was hard. "Julie has inherited his brain. All she needs is experience, development, contact with people."

"Then why, my dear John," she inquired sweetly, "don't you send her away to school where she will get those very influences."

He answered her deliberately.

"Because I owe it to her father to see that she is not thrust among strangers."

"So you're going to attend to the job yourself?" she murmured. "Very noble of you, John. And rather wise, too, considering her—ah—unfortunate heritage. Well, good luck to you. Don't hesitate to call me in if you need help."

Her voice was crisply sweet, but there was an unpleasant glint in her eyes as she made her way rapidly down the street.

Blake's stenographer happened to be emerging from a lunchroom at that particular momegt. She had witnessed the tete-a-tete from a window. Now she looked after the fur-swathed figure with a grin.

"Humph, I'll bet they quarreled!" she remarked to her companion. "Look at the way my lady sails off in high dudgeon! She'd better watch out. They say Washington is full of rich beauties just dying to grab a man."

"I wouldn't mind having him myself," her friend remarked, gazing after the figure of Blake disappearing in the opposite direction. "I think he's just grand—so fine-looking and all! But I'd be scared out of my shoes if he looked at me, stern-like, the way he does."

"That's just his way," his clerk defended him. "It don't mean anything. He's as kind and polite as can be."

"Woudn't he make a grand sheik in a robe and a turban?" the other mused, but her companion only laughed.

"Not him! He's got no use for women. They just don't figure in his life at all."

Wherewith, she spoke, what she herself would term "a mouthful."

PEACEFUL DAYS

Julie was more nearly happy than she had believed it possible to be in the dreary days following her father's death. She had sat alone before the cold hearth the night after he was laid away and prayed for death to take her from a world that stretched bleak and friendless before her. Her aching sense of loneliness refused to yield to Blake's kindliness or Jimmy's awkward efforts at comfort. Those two, with the single exception of Dr. Phillips, comprised her list of acquaintance.

It was a distressing situation for a very young girl.

But when Blake took her to his home and gave her into the keeping of his housekeeper, the gloom lightened materially. For one thing, Blake's house was much cheerier than the Latimer place. Its garden had no forbidding wall, and the sunshine streamed in its many windows.

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Public Works Engineer Visits Ports of B.C.

Preliminary to the visit of Hon. J. H. King to the coast, K. M. Cameron, chief engineer of the department, has arrived at Prince Rupert to look into public works matters.

He was met there by J. P. Forde, district engineer, who went up from here to discuss with him various matters. It is expected he will come south on the departmental launch Walrondo.

In view of the holiday season there were particularly good congregations at both services of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Sunday. Announcing his morning subject as "A Vestry Experience Which Changed a Service," the Rev. J. Williams Ogden of Vancouver gave an eloquent and forceful sermon on the power and importance of prayer. At the evening service Mr. Ogden took for his text "Make the men sit down." Now there was much grass in that place," and followed with an appeal to business men to rest sometimes from the bustle of modern life and so give an opportunity for the messages of God to reach them. Mr. Ogden will preach at both services of St. Andrew's next Sunday when the full choir will resume for the Winter and special music will be the feature, especially at the evening service.

PATHFINDERS ON WAY TO VICTORIA BLAZING TRAILS

A. F. Bement and E. S. Bevans Expect to Arrive in City September 4

Making sixty miles an hour on stretches in Saskatchewan and ready to break new mountain trails through the Rockies in an effort to win the Victoria Canadian Highway Association gold medal for the first car to reach Victoria from Winnipeg over an all-Canadian route, Austin F. Bement and Secretary of the Lincoln Highway Association, and E. S. Bevans, both of Detroit, have wired ahead that they expect to reach Victoria, September 4. "The roads are excellent so far," a wire received by Frank Golma states. "The schedule I laid out in Detroit was much too slow. Great interest displayed along the line."

The distance between Winnipeg and Regina was covered between 9 a.m. and 7.15 p.m. The visitors, who are making a careful log of the entire road between Winnipeg and Vancouver, had some interesting observations to make of the roads in Saskatchewan on their arrival at Regina.

They expressed hearty approval of the system of maintenance adopted by the Saskatchewan government on the provincial highways, but the engineering features which permits of jogs of a few miles north or south of a straight line and a subsequent return to the same parallel did not commend themselves to the travelers. In this connection Mr. Bement expressed the opinion that, so far as he could see, these diversions were without reason, and said he thought something like seventy-two miles could be clipped off the 272 road miles between Brandon and this city.

AN UNTRIED PATH

To win the gold medal Messrs. Bement and Evans will have to traverse an eighty-mile stretch between Princeton and Hope, B.C., and another 220 miles between Cranbrook and Princeton which is off the beaten track for regular automobile traffic. They are traveling in a Packard, with special equipment, including block and tackle for what is expected to be a rough passage through a portion of the Rockies.

Comparing American with Canadian trunk transcontinental highways, Mr. Bement said that the condition of the Canadian coast to coast highway is to-day the same as that of the Lincoln highway ten years ago. While $57,000,000 has been expended on the Lincoln highway to date, he estimates it will cost a total of $75,000,000 before it is surfaced the entire distance between New York and San Francisco. He believes it will cost a similar sum to provide a first class highway between Victoria and Halifax on all-Canadian soil.

PUBLICITY FOR CANADA

Mr. Bement says he is writing a number of articles on Canadian highways and travel in Canada for American journals and papers, including The American Automobile Association, and these will give a great deal of publicity to the possibilities this country offers to tourists from across the international line. He also hopes to be able to publish a number of articles and pictures of his Canadian experiences in The National Geographic of Washington, D.C.

RELATIVITY THEORY EXPLAINED HERE

Professor Eddington, of Cambridge University, Addresses Large Gathering

When a scientist faces an audience of all ages, in all stages of mental development, and attempts an explanation of a theory which challenges past teaching, he is essaying a task of exceptional magnitude. That effort has been made during the present tour of the British Association for the Advancement of Sciences by Professor A. S. Eddington, of the University of Cambridge, England. He gave an address on the subject here last evening to about 300 people at the High School auditorium, being introduced by Dr. J. S. Plaskett as the leading authority in the English-speaking world on the theory which bears Einstein's name.

The enthusiastic opinions gained of Dr. Eddington by those who went to Toronto from this city were reciprocated by his attentive audience last evening. While dealing with a subject calling for at least an elemental knowledge of half a dozen sciences in order to follow his argument, the lecturer illustrated with simple parallels from familiar objects the abstrue theories he was unfolding, and brightened his remarks with witty observations which amused his hearers.

He was careful to point out that while the Newtonian proof of gravitation had been modified by the Einstein theory, Newton himself had foreseen that his views would not necessarily remain unmoved for all time.

Dr. Eddington set out to take his audience from the geocentric attitude in which terrestrial concerns occupied first place to a detached plane of observation in which things could be considered entirely in detached relation to one another, or else as affected by the same forces, and therefore unconscious of the action of such forces.

He asked his audience to imagine themselves as in a room forming the interior of an elevator, detached from the world and dropping downwards with ever-increasing velocity. Contrasting with that condition would be the position of an observer outside the elevator.

Two apples dropping in the lift would descend, by the Newtonian laws of gravity, at the same rate as the lift. To the observer outside the lift the only perceptible motion on the part of the apples would be downward toward the centre of gravity; to the person seated inside the lift, however, the only perceptible motion of the apples would be their drifting toward each other as they approached the common centre of gravity.

Dr. Eddington explained the difference between the relative and absolute bodies. Number is absolute, but to describe direction it had to be relative to some other object. The fourth dimension idea of the past had been resuscitated to express that something besides length and breadth and height.

A number of questions were asked, and the vote of thanks was moved by Rev. Robert Connell and cordially adopted.

Dr. Plaskett alluded to the great services to science which the lecturer had already discharged, and of the pleasure to hear him in Victoria.

ALICE'S "MEMOIRS" STIR SOCIETY FEARS

Washington, Aug. 27—Washington society, both official and unofficial, is all keyed up over word that Alice Longworth, "Princess Alice" of the old Roosevelt days, is writing her "memoirs."

"Will she tell this?" and "Will she tell that?" is being asked on every hand by persons and personages who know that, if she wrote without reservations, Mrs. Longworth could let not one or two, but a whole flock of cats out of the bag.

For her reminiscences could cover not merely the inside doings of social Washington for the last twenty-five years, but could reveal the inner influences that have shaped official and political history through many campaigns and administrations.

Probably no one in Washington could so certainly produce a "best seller" as this daughter of "T. R." Her knack, as a girl, of delighting in doing the unusual, has been carried over into her more mature years in the ability to view and say things differently, and always with a "punch."

Confirmation of Mrs. Longworth's alleged literary efforts, however, is lacking. Possibly she's getting a lot of fun out of the suspense the unconfirmed report has caused. Certainly she has the town "guessing."

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The Victoria Steam Laundry Company, Limited, employees held their annual picnic at Deep Bay on Saturday under most favorable conditions.

The courtesy of S. Jones of the "Chalet" contributed largely to the enjoyment of the afternoon and evening, which was heartily appreciated by all.

The sports events which usually occupy a large place upon such occasions were as follows:

Tiny tots, four years and under—1, Leona Simpson; 2, David Pye.

Girls, 6 years and under—1, Gladys Kitt; 2, Florence Brazier.

Girls, 8 years and under—1, Ivy Ryles; 2, June Marsh.

Boys, 8 years and under—1, Billy Hill; 2, Arthur Henderson.

Girls, 10 years and under—1 Margaret Crawford; 2, James Greeley.

Girls, 12 years and under—1, Winnie Brown; 2, Catherin White.

Boys, 12 years and under—1, Billie Hill; 2, Stanley Jones.

Girls, 14 years and under—1, Hazel Kitt; 2, Irene Wallace.

Special race for boys, open—1, Harold England; 2, William White.

Special race for girls—1, Marhourie Pears; 2, Mabel Jeune.

Single ladies race—1, Lily Weeks; 2, Queenie Weeks.

Single men's race—1, R. Winter; 2, A. Thornton.

Married ladies' race—1, Mrs. A. Ryke; 2, Mrs. W. Simpson.

Married men's race—1, H. J. Tuckett; 2, T. Wallace.

Ladies race, employees only—1, Mrs. A. Pyke; 2, Miss Lily Weeks.

Men's race employees only—1, D. Crawford; 2, A. Hampton.

Ladies' and gent's 3-legged race—1, Miss Gladys Davies and A. Hampton; 2, Miss Queenie Weeks and E. Cruse.

Boys' and girls' obstacle race—1, Peggy Barr; 2, Irene Wallace.

Consolation race for children—1, Daisy Barr; 2, Douglas Kitt; 3, May Pyke.

Tally-ho drivers' race—1, W. Bate.

Egg and spoon race for ladies—1, Miss Gertie Churchill; 2, Miss Nellie Weeks.

Tug-of-war, married ladies vs. single ladies—Single ladies won.

Tug-of-war, married men vs. single men—Married men won.